MILLINERY.

Ladies' Fur Felt Untrimmed Hats, 48c.

Ladies' best quality Fur Felt Untrimmed Hats, 68c.

Ladies' Comb and Brush Sets and Plush Cases at

worth 55c.
Lestherette Case, containing brush, comb and glass, 75c; worth \$1.50.
Pinch Case, containing Brush, Glass and Comb, 55c, worth \$2.
Sik Pinch Cases, containing Brush, Glass and Comb, in Calibioid and Amber, at \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$4 and up, worth just double.
Manicure Set in Silk, Plush Case, \$1, worth \$2.
Silk Pinch Collar and Cuff Boxes, \$1 a set, worth \$2.

Silk Pinsh Albums, large size, \$1, \$1,25, \$1.50 an upwards; just half regular price. 2,000 Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Aprons almos

At 50c, worth \$1.25, At 65c, worth \$1.35, At 75c, worth \$1.50, At 85c, worth \$2.00.

KID CLOVES.

Ladies' 4-button best quality real French Kid Gloves, embroidered back, warranted, \$1.25; worth

CHOICE CANDIES.

GLASSWARE.

CORNUCOPIAS,

SURPRISE COSSACKS,

CANDLE HOLDERS,

Spc; worth \$1.

Ladies 4-button, embroider
Kid Gloves, \$1; worth \$1.50.

med Hats at \$3. med Hats at \$3.50.

BUILDING.

with other houses.

Sigo-Ladies' White and Colored, Hand-Enered, Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, embroides

Hemstitched and Scattered et all lines, regular price 35c.

Ladies' finest quality sheer Lines French Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs in scalloped and Hembroidered Handkerchiefs in scalloped 21.50 at

1,000 fancy boxes Ladles' Handkerchiefs put up half-dozen in box, fine sheer, All Lines, Hand Em-broidered, at \$1.75 and \$1.85; worth \$3.\* Ladles' China Silk Neck Handkerchiefs Embroid-ered in White and Gold, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

JEWELRY.

HOSIERY.

50 desen Ladies' Good Quality Fancy Liele Thread Hose in stripes and fancy boot pattern at 50c; worth

BUILDING.

TREE ORNAMENTS.

CANDLES,

FANCY BOXES.

BONBONS.

BROADWAY AND MORGAN.

Come One, Come All, and Examine Our

Display of Holiday Novelties.

Blanke & Bro. Candy Co.

608, 610, 612 MARKET ST.

nered Handkerchiefs in scalloped and Hem-hed at 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and

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ST. LOUIS, MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 17, 1888.

CRAWFORD'S, WIM

In order to accomodate all classes awford's Great Broadway Bazaar will be open this evening and every svening during this week until 9 o'clock, Saturday evening until 10 o'clock, and Christmas eve until 11. Everybody is expected to do his or her trading at the Headquarters of

This house has by far the most complete stock of holiday goods in city, and on comparison you will find their prices on Christmas goods to be from 25 to 75 per cent below all competition.

second floor. See the delighted crowds. See the immense delivery of toys now daily being made by the score of wagons of this house and seek no further for bargains in Holiday Goods than the Great Broadway Bazaar of

CRAWFORD & CO

# **Uvercoats**

Made to Order,

For 30 days we'll make Overcoats to order for Twenty Dollars.

Your choice of a dozen fabrics.

They're the best Over-

coat in America. Make them in 24 hours.



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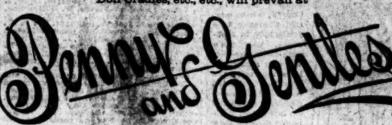
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Tough, Elastic and Durable.

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Toy Department all day to-morrow, where the only REAL LIVE SANTA CLAUS presides over his own attractions.



This Rocking Horse, full size, on 44-inch rocker,

36c 23 doz. Express Wagons, large size, hard wood, 36c; worth 65c. At 99c 100 der. Largest Express Wagons, hard wood and IRON AXLE, 99c; worth \$1.35. 63c 17 dox. Willow Doll Cradles, with willow hood, b tom lined, 63c; worth \$1.25.

 Child's Writing Desks
 \$1.00 and up
 Children's Velocipedes
 \$3.50

 Cylinder Writing Desks
 \$2.50
 Children's Tables (A, B, C)
 25c

 Secretary Writing Desks
 \$2.50
 Blackboards
 65c

 Cabinet Writing Desks
 \$6.00
 Patent Swing Horses
 \$2.75

 Sleds and Sleighs
 40c up
 Tool Chests
 \$2.75

 Doll Chairs
 25c
 Laundry Sets
 \$2c and 50c

 Children's Chairs
 25c
 Building Blocks
 12c

 Children's Barreaus
 25c
 Stick Horses
 55c

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Pa bought it at Dimick's. They are headquarters for Jos. Rodgers & Son's and Geo. Wostenholm's celebrated "I X L" Pocket Knives, Razors and s, and their prices are low. I would not advise my friends to buy the so-called OUR OWN make—only buy goods that have a reputation, as life is too short to experiment with unknown goods. Heed the above advice and inspect our stock.

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Have you awakened from a disturbed sleep with all the horrible sensations of an assassin clutching your throat and pressing the life-breath from your tightened chest? Have you noticed the languor and debility that succeed the effort to clear your throat and head of this catarrhal matter? What a depressing influence it exerts upon the mind, clouding the memory and filling the head with pains and strange noises! How difficult it is to rid the nasal passages, throat and lungs of this poisonous muous all can testify who are afflicted with catarrh. How difficult to protect the system against its further progress towards the lungs, liver and kidneys, all physicians will admit. His a terrible disease, and cries out for relief and cure. The remedies utterly fail, of Sanyound's Radical Cure, are attested by thousands who gratefully recommend it to follow-sufferers. No statement is made regarding it that cannot be substantiated by the most respectable and reliable references.

Each packet contains one bottle of the Radical Cure, one box of Catarrhal Solvery, and an Dirroven Inhalez, with treatise and directions, and is sold by all druggists for \$1.

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STRAINS, SPRAINS, PAINS,



JOHN BRIGHT'S RELAPSE.

THE GREAT ENGLISH STATESMAN AGAIN AT DEATH'S DOOR.

LONDON, December 17.—John Bright has suf-ered a relapse. He was in a fair way to recover, it was thought, and up to yesterday seemed to be gaining strength. He has re-cently written a number of letters and has seemed to take a renewed interest in things about him. He has been much helped by warm expressions



of regard that have came to him from his old-time political friends, from whom he was somewhat allenated when he separated from

LONDON. December 17.-In the sked what would be the estimated

entary Secretary at the Foreign Office, said was impossible to estimate the cost. Lord Salisbury's utterance was merely a personal opinion in a speech made on the stand of the House of Lords. There was no ent coincided with the opinion or intended

TAKE THEIR MEDICINE.

London, December 17.—At a meeting of the tockholders of the Lake Superior Copper Co. held in this city to-day it was decided to voluntarily wind up the affairs of the concern. ELEVEN PERSONS DROWNED.

rom Workington for Glasgow, has foundered eleven persons, were drowned.

A PHONOGRAPH AS A WITNESS.

LONDON, December 17.—During the trial of a phonograph was introduced to reproduce a letter and other papers. The instrument worked successfully and Judge Kay, who presided at the trial, was surprised and pleased

THE PANAMA BUBBLE. THE PARAMA BUBBLE.

PARIS, December 17.—Gen Boulanger has sent a message of sympathy to M. De Lesseps, upon the failure of the Panama Canal bill in the Chamber of Deputies. Gen. Boulanger says that the rejection of the bill is deplorable and that it is the crowning sin of the Chamber. A meeting of the shareholders of the company has been convened. It is expected that it will be a very large one, and that it will favor a gigantic lottery scheme to relieve the necessities of the company. ecessities of the company.

PARIS, December 17.—A Bourse speculator, named Bex, whose operations were confined principally to dealings in copper, has defaulted in the sum of 12,000,000 france. Another

failure is expected.

Germany.

IT WAS ONLY AN INN. BERLIN, December 17.—Considerable excitement was caused here this morning by a report that Prince Bismarok's residence at Friedrichsrune had been destroyed by fire. A later report, however, stated that it was the village inn that had been burned.

AN ANTI-SLAVERT LECTURE.

MUNICH, December 17.—Dr. Echifs, the
African travelor, delivered an anti-slavery ture in this city last evening.

ZANKIBAR, December 17.—The French of war D'Estaing has arrived here.

EMOVING THE PLANT.

The German Plantation Co. will re

THE SULTAN'S RETURN.

The Sultan has returned to Zanhas been absent directing religious ficial corremonies designed to

DR. G. J. BERNATS DEATH.

PRICE, FIVE CENTS.
BY CARRIER, TWENTY CENTS A WEEK.

A COLD-BLOODED MURDER.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.
SHERMAN, Tex., December 17. the city this morning of a horrible, coldblooded murder which occurred yesterday afternoon at Oakland, in the Chickasaw the town and one of the most prominent cat-

THE HATTIEN MUDDLE.

No News in Regard to the Steamers Galer

egreph to the Post-Dispatch. Hindron, D. C., December 17.—No news

FREE THINKING SCHOOL SOCIETY.

CHICAGO, Ill., December 17.—"Der Freiein-nige Schulverien" which may be translated as the Free Thinking School Society, was organ-ized yesterday afternoon at a meeting of anized yesterday afternoon at a meeting of anarchists and socialists. With the ultimate design of forming a system of day schools as well, its object for the present is the establishment of secular Sunday schools in Chicago. Discarding the Bible as being unfit to be put in the hands of children it proposes to teach as substitutes, history, science and socialism. The movement is part of the most important work now in progress among the socialists of the country. Similar organizations are perfecting in New York, Milwaukee and at other points are and ostensibly the out-

MINING IN REANSAS.

The Excitement in Marion County—Made a Big Strike.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparces.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., December 17.—The news
from Marion County this morning is to the effeet that the excitement over mining is grow-ing. Since the recent discoveries of valuable zine and copper ore miners from Missouri are flocking in. A large amount of St. Louis esp-ital is invested in the mine. The Arksmass in the Leader mine. A deposit of jack, five test thick, ten wide and thirty-five long being uncovered. There are hundreds of tone of ore in sight with good leads of jack running to the right and left of the mine. Heavy shipments of ore from different mines will be made this week to St. Louis.

Death of James McDonald, the Farmer Beaten by the Regulators.

Beaten by the Regulators.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., December 17.—James McDonald, who was so unmercifully beaten last Monday by the mob calling themselves the Kansas division of "White Caps," died yesterday. A farmer living near here says that he saw the "White Caps" pass his house on two different nights. On the second night he; followed them and they halted in the woods and seemed to hold a council. The chief addressed the men by number instead of name. Enough was overheard to convince turn they were organizing in Phillips and Smith Counties.

DR. JAMES SCOTT.

Death of the Author of the Famous Liques Law.

### THE ASSOCIATION TICKET

WHICH WILL BE VOTED TO-NIGHT AT HENDRICKS HEADQUARTERS.

ing the Outrages.



ciation, or at least the for the coming year, or for that portion of it during which the declining organization continues to exist. At one time, upwards of 900 Democrats were enrolled. Now the

association cannot muster more than fifty or sixty members at the meetings. The monthly neome is considerably less than \$100. With the exception of about one hundred members ciates are in default. The recent deassociation have disgusted many of the mem-bars who would otherwise have held on until the last. In many instances without consultare trying to float the rotten organization have made up the following ticket to be voted on at the meeting to-night for the association

For President-D. W. Caruth. First Vice-President-Thomas Morris, P. H. Bierman and R. H. Kern. ond Vice-President-John W. O'Connell

second vice-Fresident—John W. O'Connell and John C. Lohrum.
Treasurer—Joseph H. Tiernan.
Sergeant-at-Arms—John Carter.
Recording Secretary—Mr. John J. Lane declined renomination. The nominess are Joseph N. Judge, William P. Macklin, W. H. Martin and Charles E. Wells.
Financial Secretary—Henry E. Hart.
Corresponding Secretary—Richard Hen-

Corresponding Secretary—Richard Hennessy.

Executive Committee (eight to be elected)—
Judge Kane, Thomas Morris, John C. Lohrum,
P. H. Bierman, Thos. E. Barret, John F. Walton, Nicholas H. Davis, Wm. T. Dolan, Wm.P.
Macklin, Andrew Healey, Paul Young, R. H.
Kern, Frank J. Cossman, C. C. Maffitt, Frank
Lacy, Barney Thorman, Joseph Murphy, P.
Bambrick, Jerry Fruin, R. A. Guinzburg,
Richard Hennessy, Daniel O'Connell Tracy,
Thomas Skidmore, M. J. Murphy, Capt. Wm.
C. McClellan, Henry F. Harrington, John H.
Duffy and Ed Devoy.

Maj. Caruth was first elected to the presidency of the association two years ago. Since
receiving that honorable distinction he has
frequently had reason to wish he had escaped
it. A year ago he was elected but with the
announcement of the winning ticket came the
humiliating discovery that more votes had
been cast then there were members in the
room. The balliot-box had been 'stuffed,''
Nething that has since been done by
the association has won much public favor.
Joseph H. Tiernan, who is nominated for
Treasurer, fills that position at present. The
duties are light, as there is no money in the
treasury.

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Henry E. Hart, renominated for Financial Secretary, is a Deputy Marshal.

John J. Lane, District Assessor, has declined renomination as Recording Secretary. The nominees are Joseph N. Judge, Assistant Secretary of the Council; Wm. P. Macklin, member of the last House of Representatives; W. H. Martin of the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue, and Charles E. Wells of the Boiler Inspector's Office.

School Director John W. O'Conneil and John C. Lohrum, who has been a ward worker since 1872, are the nominees for the Second Vice-Presidency.

Vice-Presidency.
The nomines for Corresponding Secretary,
Mr. Richard Hennessy, draws a salary on the
Assessor's pay roll.
Among the nominations for the eight piaces

Assessor's pay roll.

Among the nominations for the eight places on the executive committee are the following: Justice Pat Kane, who was a candidate for City Marshal; Thomas Morris, who was a candidate for Police Justice in the Second District Police Court; John C. Lohrum and P. H. Bierman, both practical politicians; Barney Thorman, keeper of the dog pound; Thos. E. Barrett, Clerk of the House of Delegates; John F. Waiton, Chief Janitor at the Four Courts; Wm. T. Dolan, Democratic Committeeman from the Fourth Ward; Wm. P. Macklia, recently candidate for the nomination for Assistant Circuit Attorney; Andrew Healy, Inspector of Weights and Measures; Paul Young, District Assessor; R. H. Kern, recently candidate for a congressional nomination; Frank J. Cossman, member of the House of Delegates; C. O. Masmits, chairman of the State Democratic Committee; Frank Lacy of the City Colictor's office; Joseph Murphy, member of the House of Delegates from the Thirteenth Ward; Richard Hennessy of the Assessor's office, Daniel O'Connell Tracy, City Register; Thos. Skidmore, ex-Deputy Sheriff; M. J. Murphy, Harbor Commissioner; Capt. Wm. C. McCleilan, boiler inspector; Henry F. Harrington, ex-Sheriff and Ed Devoy, ex-Councilman.

Of the twenty-eight gentlemen nominated

election or appointment.

Postal cards urging members in both
GOOD AND BAD STANDING
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to attend the meeting to-night have been issued.

Financial Secretary Hart has partially repaired the damage done to his books by some bargiarious member, who entered the rooms and destroyed the accounts of members from the first six wards of the city. He had prepared a list of delinquent for the information of a collector who was retained to collect from the delinquent members. This was not in the drawer with the books and escaped destruction. From this and other sources of information the Secretary hopes to be able to replace his books.

A metion will be made to-night to appoint a committee to investigate the recent outrages and the reported irregularities in the old furniture account, which gives no clew to the disposition of sundry articles of furniture and ornamentation which mysteriously disappeared when the association moved to its present quarters.

No Removals Now.

Ne Removals Now.

MEN'S Heavy Warm Overcoats and Ulsters,
Street Commissioner Burnett was asked to\$1.75, \$3, \$4, \$5 and \$7.50. day concerning a published statement to the effect that he proposed to begin removing Republicans from the Street Department. It was reported that Assistant Street Commissioner Ruseshenback and Secretary Julius Bischoff would be the first to go, and that they would go at once In answer, Commissioner Burnett said. "I can't control City Hall gossip, but I'll tell you that that report is absolutely unfounded. You cannot put that too strong. I do not propose any such removals." I do not propose any such removals.

The report was started by the Democratio day concerning a published statement to the

Judge Norton After Vest's Place

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State Senator Fountain Hetchum, who returned from a short visit to Jefferson City a few days ago, stated to a Post-Distance reporter this morning that it was reported at the capital that Judge Elijah Norton, whose term on the Supreme Court Hench expires with the present year, will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator to succeed Hon. George G. Vest two years from now.

"Who told you that Norton will be a candidate?"

"Oh, it is common taik at Jefferson City," said the Senator. "Among others I heard Gov. Morehouse mention it. The Governor did not state positively that Judge Norton was after Vest's place, but merely repeated it as a piece of political gossip which he had heard."

The Eighth Congressional District Union Labor Central Club will hold an open meeting on next Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, at their hall, corner of Broadway and Montgomery street.

Mr. Wm. Helts of the St. Louis Paper Co. dealres to have it understood that he is not the man who became involved in a fight with Sergeant-At-Arms Peries at the Republican League Convention on Saturday. The delegate who had the disturbance was Magnus W. Holtz.

J. E. Crumbaugh of Columbia, who was as-

nus W. Hoits.

J. E. Crumbaugh of Columbia, who was assistant Chief Clerk of the Thirty-third General Assembly, and who is a candidate for chief clerk of the next Legislature, has taken quarters at the Leglede and will remain there until he leaves for Jefferson City, the latter part of next week.

Card to Their Friends and the Public From the Stephens Lithographing & Engr. Co. In reply to the suit of one Taft, by Klein Fisse, in the United States Circuit Court against us, in which they allege that we are to the statement of our attorneys here belwhich explains itself. It is wholly unaccountable on any theory why any person should make such a false allegation when the public records of the Librarian of Congress are so easily attainable. Any person making, selling or using an imitation of simulation will render themselves flable. The first large edition of 50,000 of the 'Purity' calendar has been finished and delivered to supply customers at a distance, and were shipped to Pittsburg, New York, Buffalo, Chicago, Milwaukee, 'Frisco, New Orleans, Charleston, S. C., and Richmond, Va. The second and third large editions are now passing through the presses, requiring a day and all-night force to meet the demand.

Je phone recognising of Congress.

Judge R. A. Bakewell and Mr. William B.

Judge R. A. Bakewell am associated in

Rempson, with whom I am associated in Thompson, with whom I am associated in your fight with the August Gast Co. Join me in this statement.

PAUL BAKEWELL.

attend the meeting of the new national asso siation for the government of norse racing in the United States. The Association but when its members meet to-morrow they will hear the report of the committee, composed of Kentucky, Chicago, New York and Brooklyn. This committee was left with instructions to formulate in presentable shape the various rules adopted by the meeting of the Turf Congress in New York last month, tedraw a constitution and by-laws for the new organization and report to the meeting at Cinciunati. Among the probable changes made will be the adoption of a license law governing all trainers and jockeys working on tracks of the association. As the law stands at present jockeys and trainers are licensed regularly by the West but not by the East. Thus when a jockey was ruled off the track in the West there was nothing to prevent him from riding in the East. Under the new regime the jockey must show his license to any track whereon he wishes to run or train. Should it be revoked of course he cannot present it and hence cannot run. It is also said but when its members meet to-morrow they

Should it be revoked of course he cannot pre-sent it and hence cannot run. It is also said that two forfeit clerks will be appointed—one for the East and one for the West. Their duty will be to collect forfeits or see that they are collected and turned over to the winners of stake races.

There is some doubt as to the identity of the new president, but it is thought that this office will be given to one of the Eastern gen-tlemen as a mark of courtery from the West.

M. J. Steinberg, 307 Broadway. Fur muffs and boas in great variety.

Whittier's Birthday.

DANVERS, Mass., December 17 .- John G. Whittier, the venerable poet, to-day reaching his fist birthday. He is at his winter home at Oak Knoll, one of his favorite resorts. Many friends and neighbors called to pay their respects, and a large number of congratulatory letters and telegrams were received. Mr. Whittier is in fairly good health, but rarely research.

GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

A MINISTER TO MARRY.

REV. ERNEST COOK TO WED MISS JULIA WEST OF RICHMOND, VA.

bility that Rev. J. H. Belding Will Be Called by the Cabanne Piace Presbyte-rian Congregation—Dr. Green's Paper on "Romanism"—Hinisters' Meetings.



Cooke, the popular pastor of the Water Tower Baptist ried Thursday to young lady in Richsoon-to-be Benedict keep the matter a secret, and informed only a few of his conhis intentions. He bound them on their honor not to divulge and they, in accord-

tions, locked the knowledge up in one of the cells of sheir brains. This morning, however, a POST DISPATCH reporter received a hint ne of the persons in whom Dr. Cooke had confided. Seeing that the matter was out this gentleman saw no reason longer in his already over-occupied brain and eems, however, that he had tried so the little secret from everyone tha the had actually forgotten a part of it herself. That was the lady's name. He said it was Miss Jones, he was sitive of that, but he could not remember orter went over to the Bantist Book Concern ing, and imparted to them the knowledge of the approaching nuptials of one of their number. Two of Cooke's friends were perfectly dumbfounded by the information. He had told them an entirely different it. Finally, the matter was straightened out, and the reporter was given the correct information, which is that Dr. Cooke's bride-elect, is, Miss Julia West, a young lady who comes from an old and highly respected Virginia family and who is herself beautiful and accomplished. The many friends of the Water Tower Church's pastor will. no doubt, be much aurorised.

friends of the Water Tower Church's pastor will, no doubt, be much surprised by this news as he has done his best to conceal it. Dr. Cooke has been pastor of the Water Tower Church for a little over a year and is very generally liked. He is still quite a young man. He left for Richmond to-day.

Rev. J. M. Belding, the young preacher from Pullman, Ill., who was requested to come here and preach on trial for the new Presbyterian Church at Cabanne, has given satisfaction, it is believed, and a meeting will be held Wednesday evening, at which a call will very likely be extended to him. Rev. Belding has not expressed what his answer would be if requested to remain permanently, but there is no reason for thinking that it would be unfavorable.

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION. djourned Meeting of the Freight Men at the Southern To-Day.

A nadjourned meeting of the International Traffic Association was held in the gentle-man's parlor of the Southern Hotel to-day. There was a full representation of freight

man's parlor of the Southern Hotel to-day. There was a full representation of freight agents present. Mr. J. Weldo acted as chairman and George Maclaine as secretary. The various roads in the association were represented as follows: Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, W. H. Masters; D., T. & F. W. Rall. Way, W. W. Finley, General Freight Agent; G. U. & S. F., W. H. Masters, General Freight Agent; H. & T. O. and T. C. road, D. Bipley, General Freight Agent; K. C., Ft. S. & M. Rallway, D. Miller; L. B. & M. and H. E. & W. T. Kailroads, J. Waldo; St. L. A. & T., D. Miller, General Freight Agent; St. Louis, I. M. & S. and Missouri Pacific, W. H. Newman, Third Vice-President; M. K. & T., A. S. Dodge, General Freight Agent; St. Louis, I. M. & S. and Missouri Facific, W. H. Newman, Third Vice-President; M. K. & T., A. S. Dodge, General Freight Agent; St. L. & S. F., F. D. Hinssell. Assistant General Freight Agent; I. & G. N. Railroad, J. E. Galbraith, General Freight Agent; I. & G. N. Railroad, J. E. Galbraith, General Freight Agent; I. & G. N. Railroad, J. E. Galbraith, General Freight Agent; I. & G. N. Railroad, J. E. Galbraith, General Interesting did not come to order until late in the morning. There was a mass of business, more or leas routine, before the freight men. It is said that before they get through several important changes in freight rates along the lines of the roads indicated above will be made. Chairman Waldo refused to foreshadow the sotious of the meeting inasmuch as the final railings on the various complaints and propositions to be made are by no means certain. The meeting may possibly adjourn to-night.

Members of the Cribb Club and all boxers should buy boxing gloves of

STRANGLED CHIEF. nageable Elephant in Forepaugh's

RAWLINGS BROS., Eighth and Chestnut.

Circus Executed. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., December 17 .- The the scene vesterday afternoon of an execution elephant, was condemned to die. He had be difficult to keep the great, strong brute chained up. He tried to kill his keeper Saturday, and it was decided that he should be

day, and it was decided that he should be destroyed.

Yesterday afternoon the noose was placed around his neck. It was made in the middle of a plece of rope half an inch thick and ten yards long. It was a ticklish thing to get the noose on the elephant's neck but it was finally pulled over his trunk and placed close behind his ears. Then Basil and Bismarek, two powerful elephants, were attached to the ends of the rope.

At young Adam Forepaugh's command the elephant executioners were prodded and the lines were drawn tight around Chief's throat. Another signal was given and the elephants applied all their power. Chief tottered and fell, and was dead in twenty seconds.

Chief was an Asiatic elephant, 1012 feet high, and weighed 16,000 pounds.

The Best Christmas Gitt or \$1.00 is a ticket in the Public Library.

He Talks About Ris Lecturing Tour Lecture Subjects,

Rev. Sam Jones: the revivalist, passed way from Jackson, Tenn., to Galesburg, Ill. he took his breakfast,

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## FAMOUS HAT

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The "Night Owis" Burlesque Co. has been a favorite attraction at the Standard for several seasons and drew a big house for its opening performance of the week last evening. The company has maintained its standard as a clever organization of burlesque and variety talent the programme being varied with novel and attractive features. It opened with "The Court Reception" introducing songs and specialties, which was followed by the olio containing entertaining acts by John Carroll, the Tissots, Muivey and Clitton, Topack and Steele, Nanson and Hayman, and the three acrobatic Eddys, in which Mile. Emma tarns her famous filp-flap in a long trained dress. The burlesque is entitled "Drummers in Paradise," and factores with a view of living statuary.

MURRAY AND MURPHY in "Our Irish Visitors" at Pope's Theater, Friday afternoon, for the benefit of the Post-Disparch Christ-

The Custom Tailors' Meeting. The fustem Tailors' Meeting.

The ninth annual meeting of the Custom Foremen Tailors' Association of America will be held at the Southern Hotel, January 13, 16, 17 and 18, 1880. There is a good deal of business to be attended to and a number of the members have prepared papers which will be read. Arthur G. Lindley will discuss "Coats, by Direct Measure," E. T. Howard, "Overcoats," John O'Nell, "Coats and Fants, by Direct Measure," L. A. Horaug, "Walstocats," Ohas. J. Stone, "Proportions;" Wm. H. Sharr, "Cape Overcoats;" George H. Husboon, "Sack Coats;" Class-Meeting Catechism, Chas. J. Stone, Catechist; James Alliseq, "Double-Breasted Frocks;" Thes. O. Deany will deliver an address and George W. Fisher will speak of coats, "a full method in detail, together with patterns and garments.

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### NTHE WORLD OF SPORTS.

VAGER HOYT WILL PAY MIKE KELLY \$1.000 FOR TWO WEEKS' WORK

"Ten Thousand Dollar Beauty" Will Take the Part of Tough in the "Tin Soldier"-Kilrain's Friends Want to Ar-range the Sullivan Affair in Canada-

ph to the Post-Disparch. RK, December 17.—Mike Kelly, the ston ball tosser, has been engaged by byt & Thomas to appear in "The Tin tmas and New Year's weeks. The ver offered to any one man not an actor these receive. It all came about this way Tin Soldier" having been suddenly ill, Mr. Hoyt was in a dilemma how to be him at so short notice. Although the nparatively small one, it calls for good character actor to make it go, and suc man was hard to find in the time allowed. nager, Mr. Frank McKee," said Mr. Royt, ad trying to think of some one in town who rould do justice to the part, which is what The actor now doing the part always received two scene calls, which is rather remarkable for a minor role. Mr. McKee and myself were down Broadway, and when we reached er of Thirteenth street I esple talking to John A. Mackey and some of nerly put Kelly on the stage in Boston, then we were playing the 'Rag Baby' there nd he had made quite a hit as a tough. Why not put him in this part? I proposed the mat-ter to McKee and we came to the conclusion

much money he wanted to play the part for reply. I thought this was putting it pretty high and told him so. After quite a talk Kelly finally broke out with 'Well, you've got to have me, and I'll give you my lowest figures, \$1,000 and an overcoat.' I accepted his offer and he opens with us Christmass week at the Fourteenth Street Theater. I may have put my foot into it, financially, but I think he will draw money enough to make up more than his salary. As to the overcoat, Tim Murphy knows a place where he can buy a hand-me-down for \$7.50, and I think that is the kind I'll buy for Mike. I won't be in New York when it is handed to him, though, as Mike will be looking for Gore—not George Gore, either." reply. I thought this was putting it

### A REMARKABLE RIDE.

rman Rides 5,003 Miles in Eight Months, Winning the Missouri Cup.

8. C. Newman of the Missourt Bicycle Club

when twelve hours total elapsed time. Newman has been a rider since 1880, stands 5 feet 10th inches high and weighs, when in condition, 150 pounds. His mount, which has stood him well, is a 5t-inch Victor Light Hoadster.

TO MEET IN CANADA.

The Kilrain Party Wants a Quiet, Gentlemanly Prize Fight.

NEW YORK, December 17.—The telegraph wires between Chicago and New York will not grow cold during the sojourn of Jake Kilrain and Charley Mitchell in the Western metropolis, as messages of red hot defiance to fullivan and Dempsey of their representatives will be numerous and decide the question of superiority, but singularly enough after all this talk they are no nearer a meeting than they were ten days are. Mr. Richard K. Fox's representative, Mr. Wim. E. Harding. New York both signified a willingness to meet their opponents and decide the question of superiority, but singularly enough after all this talk they are no nearer a meeting than they were ten days ago. Mr. Richard K. Fox's representative, Mr. Wm. E. Harding, declared yesterday that Kilrain would meet fullivan in due course of time, and that an amioable meeting to talk things over in Canada or some other neutral territory would undoubtedly be arranged within the next two weeks. In the meantime Jack Dempsey is anxiously awaiting a reply to his proposition to Charley Mitchell. He will continue to spar with Costigan at Hyde & Behman's Brooklyn theater.

livan, and although there may be some delay about signing articles a fight within six months is almost a certainty. Ball Gossip

Seary, the Indianapolis left-fielder, is going on the stage.

A. J. Reach is still in the far West. He was last heard from at Denver. Second baseman Quinn has signed with the Boston Club at a salary of \$2,500.

As the new rules are understood, President Young will have the signing of all the League players after to-day. Jack Nelson has given up the idea of becom-ing a bookmaker, and is looking for a team to play with next season.

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Stemmeyer has built up a good business in Cleveland, and base bail could scarcely tempt him to abandon it for the diamond.

Manager Buckenberger has signed Jimmy Peoples of last year's Brooklyns. He is the first member of the Columbus American Association team. Manager Buckenberger and Catcher. Peoples graduated from the same amateur Detroit club.

Busbong says that the reason that there are more bases stoien in the American Association games than in the League is because the pitchers in the former do not guard the bases as efficiently as those in the League, and hence the base-runners obtain such a lead that it is impossible for any catcher to throw them out. impossible for any catcher to throw them out.

The Columbus Club can make up a very good team from the following purchasable men: Pitchers—Mays of Brooklyn, Keas and Prosser of Cleveland, Sullivan and Hoffman of Kanass Clty, Gilmore of Washington, Zell of Allentown, and Maul of Pittsburg. Catchers—Peoples and Holbert of Brooklyn, Townsend of the Athletic Fields of Pittsburg, and Tom Deasley. Infielders—Orr, Shomberg, Phillips, O'Brien (of Washington), Barkley, Greenwood, Burdock, Smith (of Pittsburg), Hankinson, Van Sant, Donnelly, White, Herr, Esterday and Fuller. Outfielders—Slich, Radford, Hogan, Lyons, Cline and MoTamany.

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ford, Hogan, Lyons, Cline and McTamany.

As an illustration of the cost of running a minor league team the annual report of the Manchester (N. H.) Club will be found of interest. The club paid \$9,514.43 for players, 38,367.89 to visiting clubs, \$268.65 for umpires and umpires assessments, \$2,083.68 for traveling expenses and other miscellaneous bills, bringing the total expense up to \$19,223.60. The receipts were derived from the following sources: Stock and subscriptions, \$1,725; sale of score cards, \$154; sale of players, \$2,425; sale of tickets on home ground, \$7,485.25; grand stand, \$1,181.39; games abroad, \$4,592.85; total receipts, \$17,363.52.

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Samuel Davenport, a famous pitcher of the old school, is deadjat his late home in Flatbush. Of him the Brooklyn Eagle says: "Over twenty years ago Mr. Davenport pitched for the Eckford Club, then in its prime. Later on he joined the Eagle Club of Flatbush, and was their pitcher in their great victory over the Champions of Jersey City, at Jersey City, on the 16th of July, 1809; score 10—8. The Champions at that time were disputing the title of amateur champions with the Star Club of this city. With the close of the season of 1869 Mr. Davenport gave up ball playing, but his love of the national game was strong, and after several years be again appeared on the diamond field, and in 1876-7 was one of the pitchers of the famous Winona nine, and in many of their great contests for the amateur pennant pitched the club to victory." He died at the age of 40 years, leaving a widow and one or two children.

Sporting Notes King Wilkes, sire of Oliver K., 2:164, is Walter Gratz's Dry Monopole has been re-tired to the stud.

The handsome young swordswoman who calls herself Jaguarine is ereating quite a furor throughout California by appearing in mounted broadsword contests. She is managed by Fred Engelhardt, and when she "fought" Capt. Wiedemann at San Diego she was introduced to the spectators by ex-Gov. Ryerson. Jaguarine dresses in fawn-colored breeches, sealskin riding boots, a white fiannel shirt, helmet and arm guards. She straddles her horse just like a man.

Milton Young, realizing the need for a great

Kilrain Will Fight.

CHICAGO, December 17.—Charles Mitchell and Jake Kilrain arrived in the city yesterday. In respect to the misfire about covering Sullivan's money in New York, Kilrain says that he is not responsible for the failure and will direct that the mouey in his behalf be put up in that fashion without asking for a receipt. He expresses perfect willingness to meet Sul-

mares in america, he having upward of one hundred stud matrons now on his place.

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The future of Brown Dick after the sale of the Melbourne string is not after the sale of the Melbourne string is not known. There is talk, however, of his entering the service of Milton foung once more. This gentleman is said to contemplate forming a racing stable and going on the turf again. Luck appeared to be against him at one time, but it has recently turned in his favor so decidedly that he may be tempted to force Dame Fortune to show her hand. The Onondagus have been coming to the front very fast of late and the fashion seems to be tending toward McGrathians.

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The six-day go-as-you-please at Madison Square Garden, November 25 to December 1, was managed by the same people who in February of this year gave Albert a record of 621 miles. In the recent race they went that record two miles better, and George T. Little-wood has gone back to England with the record of 623 miles, 1,320 yards, made in 144 hours, pinned to his back. The amouncement is already made by the management that there will be another race in February, 1889, and we might as well state here that the record will be besten. There seems to be no limit to the distance a man can go on foot in six days in these gate money exhibitions.—[Tur, Field and Farms. J. C. Kennedy, one of the managers of the race, says that under the system of scoring used it would be utterly impossible to give a contestant even one lap without detection. Two pegs are used on the lap dials, a red peg for even figures and a blue peg for odd ones, and one peg is lifted ahead of the other to record each lap. There are also score sheets run entirely separate from the dials.

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Our ideas as to the results of the election may differ, but we agree that when we were able to secure large and well protected vanita n this city for the storage of valuables of al kinds we made a great step in advance, and these are furnished by the Missouri Safe Deposit Co., Sixth and Locust streets.

the Queer Doings of American Consu Agents in Morocco.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. Australia, now due at this port from Gibraltar, nas among her passengers Senor Benasuli, who has not long been out of a dungeon at Fez, the ancient capital of Morocco. He was thrown into the dungeon at the instance of a clerk by the United States Consul at Tangier, who was at the time in Fez on an errand for the Consul. After a brief captivity Benasuli was released by order of the Sultan. The details of the arrest and imprisonment of Benasuli are not made clear in the news which has thus far reached this country from Moroccob but he has friends among the merchants in this city who do business in that country, and it is known to them that his mission across the Atlantic has relation to his experience in Fez. Benasuli was a well-known trader in Fez, and was under the protection of the United States. It is believed that his story will prove an interesting one, and that it will throw considerable light on the widely circulated charges that the traffic in American consular protection has been a fruitful source of revenue to the Consul of this country at Tangier. When the news of Benausi's arrest at Fez reached Tangier it caused considerable consternation among friends of his in that ancient Moorish city, who had not heard of any charges being made against him. They went to the American Consul, Gen. W. Reed Lewis, who declared that he knew nothing of the matter and had given no orders to Fakri to have clerk by the United States Consul at Tangler

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Is in league with Santa Claus this year and between them they have agreed to make it possible to brighten many a young life on Christmas morn.

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PARENTS, there is such a bounteous, lavish, overwhelming outpouring of bargains offered you at the

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The Single Tax Advocate Returns From Visit to England.

YORK, December 17 .- The big Cunarder, Etruria, did not reach her slip on the North River until well past noon yesterday, and her reputation as a Saturday arriver suf-fered somewhat. She suffered delay by rough veather pretty much all the way over. At batch of mail was tossed from the great liner to the little bay steamer beside her. There was a passenger list in the cabin of 288. Baron Frederick Blanc was one, with the Baroness and a following of servants. He came to spend the winterin the social festivities of the Metropolis. Miss Johnstone Bennett of Mansfield's Co., was another one to come back to America. She said to friends that she wished to see home again and had therefore taken an opportunity to return. Anson Phelps Stokes returned from a short trip abroad and had a host of friends to greet him. John P. L. Converse of Ohio was a returning pligring and Harris Gastrell, a British diplomat to Central America, was also on the list. atch of mail was tossed from the great liner

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HOTEL PERSONALS.

H. L. Ward, Kanass City; A. W. Dunn, Cotrado, Tax., and W. E. Carroll, Chicago, and the C. Alexander, Kanass City; A. W. Dunn, Cotrado, Tax., and W. E. Carroll, Chicago, and the C. Alexander, Kanass City; A. W. Dunn, Cotrado, Tax., and W. E. Carroll, Chicago, and C. C. Alexander, Kanass City, are at the Laclede.

J. N. Reed, Batesville, Ark.; E. S. Bollins, Gainesville, Tax.; C. L. Wobb, Denver; D. E. Edwards, Dallas, and M. C. Ross, Kanass City, are at the Planters'.

Hepry T. Standish, Rome, N. Y.; Edward J. Ratioffe, New York; H. Sass, Ft. S. Bollins, Covington, Ky., and Morgan Jones, Ft. Worth, Tax., are at the Landell.

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least, and the Parnell side has not yet begun to call its witnesses. There are not only the resources of the Times to fight, but it is believed the Secret Service fund of the Government is being used, and the Irish machinery as well. The leaders now confess that it was a mistake to enter into this money contest, instead of having Mr. Parnell appear in person, as Mr. Davit did."

Mr. George expressed himself as being thoroughly satisfied with his visit and was enthusiastic about the warmth of his reception and the change of the people and the press of England on the land question. Thursday next Mr. George will be given a reception at Cooper Union by his single tax friends. Thomas L. Johnson of Cleveland will preside.

The Best Christmas Gift

for \$1.00 is a ticket in the Public Library.

The Western Association of General Pas nual meeting at the Southern Hotel on Thurs The subjects that will be brought up for discussion are the question of issuing the joint rate sheets quarterly, instead of monthly; the question of how far the "Confidential Memorardum" published by the association is used by the members in making contracts and whether, in view of the extent to which the scalping of editorial mileage has gone, it would not be feasible to make some formal agreement to increase the efficiency of the "Memorandum." The election of officers will also take place.

Burlington Boute Excursions, The St. Louis, Keokuk & Northwestern R. B. Co. will sell tickets for the holidays (Christmas and New Year's) to points on their line and the line of the Hannibal &St. Joseph B.R., including Kansas City, Atchison and St. Joseph, at one and one-third fare for the round trip; tickets to be sold on December 24, 25 and 31, 1888, and January 1, 1889, limited for going passage to date of sale, for return passage to January 3, 1889.

An Infantile Elopement.

Carrie Browning, a song and dance girl 14 or 15 years old, who played an engagement at an Olive street museum and another at the London Theater, took away from the city to St. Charles last week a lover, Johny Fisher, aged 14. She met Johnny in a restaurant at Sixth and Morgan streets, where he was employed. They became very fond of each other and when her engagements in the city were over could not bear to part. The boy's mother, 4167 Easton avenue, learned of the elopement yesterday and has gone after her-boy.

HUNDREDS of styles fine Cassimere and Worsted Suits and Overcoats advertised by competing houses \$15 at \$7.50, \$10 and \$12.50. a and Overcoats advertised by the puses \$15 at \$7.50, \$10 and \$12.50.

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defective fire-place was the cause of a fire in Samuel Cupples' new residence, 3631 Olive street, early this morning. The fire was dis-

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Peter Lowrain, 59 years old, of 1408 Buchanan street, was gored by a cow at his home yes-terday. His injuries are serious.

Geo. Bowler of Dakota was confidenced out of \$15 by a stranger at Fourth and Market

Six freight cars jumped the puzzle switch on the Missouri Pacific Railway at Cabanne avenue last evening and trains were delayed three hours.

hours.

Gus Harrison, a fireman in the employ of Strauss Millinery Co., was arrested yesterday for stealing clothing from the Schwab Clothing Co. The clothing was recovered.

Barney Earan's saloon at Osage street and Jefferson avenue was fired in three places early this morning by unknown persons. The fires were discovered in time to prevent any considerable damage.

considerable damage.

Pat Brady and Philip McHearne were thrown from a buggy at Easton and Garrison avenues yesterday and badly bruised. Their horse became frightened at a cable car. They were taken to their homes.

Wm. Althoff, 18 years old, cut Wm. Greesmeier and Henry Forguson with a pockethnife last night in a fight at Twentieth and Garden streets. Greesmeier's wound was serious. Althoff was arrested.

The French Musual Ald Society yesterday elected President E. Grandjean; First Vice-President, Joseph Bornecque: Second Vice-President, Nicholas Froman; Secretary, L. Fortel; Treasurer, Jules Jalageas.

The executive officers of the German-Amer-

Fortel; Treasurer, Jules Jalageas.

The executive officers of the German-American Kriegorbund, a society of German war veterans, met at Central Turner Hall as an executive board yesterday and passed upon some matters of interest to the order. They subsequently dined at Faust's.

Daniel Sulitvan of De Soto, Mo., was knocked down by a Chouteau avenue car at Fourth and Olive streets yesterday. He is a deaf-mute and so was not warned of the approaching car. His head was cut. After attention at the City Dispensary he left for home.

St. Elizabeth Branch, C. K. of A., have elected the following officers: Spiritual Director, Father I. Panken, S. J.; President, Henry G. Rodgers; Vice-President, Louis H. James; Becording Secretary, D. L. McLeod; Financia Rodgers; vice-President, Louis H. James; Re-cording Secretary, D. L. McLeod; Financial Secretary, L. P. Clamargan; Treasurer, John W. Page; Sergeant-at-Arms, Wm. M. Murray; Sentinel, Chas. H. Reardon; Trustee, one year, H. C. Buckner; two years, Wm. Cole; three years, W. W. Berry.

Drowned Bimself.

PANA, Ill., December 17.—Calvin Winters, a young farmer, has committed suicide by drowning.



Ayer's Pills.

# CHRISTMAS GIFTS--What to Buy and Where to Buy Them

IN ANSWER---In addition to a Superb Assortment of DIAMONDS, WATCHES, FINE JEWELRY, SOLID SILVERWARE, SILVER-PLATED WARE, OPERA GLASSES, SILK UMBRELLAS, etc., which are offered at unapproached Low Prices, a line of ART GOODS, such as

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT. GRAND OPERA HOUSE-"Partners."

The indications for twenty-fou hours, commencing at 3 p. m. to-day for Missouri are: Fair weather, preseded by light rain in eastern portion. ontinued low temperature, followed Tuesday by slightly warmer; variable winds.

Make the Christmas tree unanimous.

THE mud of yesterday in the recor structed streets is the result of one blun der of the City Council.

THE vacancy in the British Legation at Washington calls for a corresponding vacancy in the American Legation in

WHEN Mayor HEWITT calls Col. Cock-ERILL "a liar" Col. COCKERILL keeps his temper and calmly furnishes the evidence that Mayor HEWITT does not tell the

THERE is an excellent chance for a \$10,-000 Christmas tree for the poor children. All that is needed is the determination on the part of the good people of St. Louis to

Unit the convention of Republican clubs in this city Saturday we were under the impression that the St. Louis hood lumism of the party did not represent

THE failure of the Panama Canal scheme is certainly not due to any opposition arising in the United States, and the angry editors of Paris who have helped to float the failure all along would do well to cool their fevered brows.

THE week before Christmas should be worth twice as much as any other week in enthusiastic work for the POST-DISPATCH Christmas tree. Christmas is in the air. and the spirit of it should lay strong hold upon young and old this week.

WHETHER Mr. BLAINE finally gets into Gen. HARRISON'S Cabinet or not, there is one thing sure-his friends do not propose that he shall be overlooked because of lack of noise in his direction. All Cabinet

tional restriction on the suffrage, which is now being warmly discussed in several Southern States. This is that every citizen who values his suffrage may remove the restriction by a little effort. It would act as a spur to education.

THERE is a chance that the white traveler, who is reported to have been captured with Emin Bey by Osman Digna, may be one of STANLEY's messengers sent to EMIN with the Khedive's letter instead of STANLEY himself, but the chance is slight. There seems to be a strong conviction among those conversant with African affairs that EMIN and STANLEY are prisopers of the Mahdi, in which case their delivery is regarded as almost hope-

THERE is a fishy odor about the story that 100 proteotion Democrats of Birmingham, Ala., have sent an address to Gen. HARRISON congratulating him on the result of the election and requesting him to make good appointments in the South. We venture to assert that the alleged 100 Democrats represented 100 Republican ballots in the recent election. If they did not, they should have, because the Democratic party is finally pledged to tariff re-

Played of the Democrats who voted against a distribution of part of the Treasury surplus among the States. That is just what the bill to refund the direct faxes to those who paid it amounts to. The same act provided for a rebase to all holders of fell-siamped packages of sobsect for the first is nothing more nor less than a gift to each State of the amount assessed upon it a quarter of a century ago. Paying large from May 1.

hom it was collected is utterly impracticable. They are mostly gone to their graves and those who are living will not get any of this money. The pretense of paying back is but a gauzy cover for the insuguration of a policy of distributing Federal money among the States.

THE POST-DISPATCH Christmas tree is not intended for destitute children The destitute come under its provisions, of course, but the charity aims to reach children of poor people, who while they are provided with the necessi ties of life, have but scanty means of obtaining the little luxuries which make this day so bright and beautiful the world over. The names of deserving children of this class are wanted by the committee. All persons knowing such children will please send their names and addresses to THOMAS Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Distribution of Tickets, 214 North Second street. Send the names at once as the tickets will be ready for distribution on Thursday morning.

WHERE CIRCULATION TELLS. The claim of the Post-Dispatch that its city circulation is double that of any other paper in the city is vindicated every time it is put to the test. When the Post-DISPATCH calls on the citizens for any public purpose, such as the invitation of a President to visit the city, or the breaking up of an ice pool, or the abatement of the dust nuisance the response, hearty, immediate and unanimous, shows that the summons appeals practically to every family in the city, and that the Post-Dispatch enjoys the confidence and support of the whole body of the citizens of St. Louis.

This fact is illustrated anew by the re sponse to our effort to raise a fund for a poor children's Christmas tree. Already the fund is the largest that has ever been raised for such a purpose in the history of charity, but the smount of the fund is less remarkable than the fact that it represents the contributions of nearly 30,000 separate givers, most of them little children. Such a subscription is unprecedented, and we may very properly take pride in it as an evidence of the circulation of the Post-Dispatch and of its popularity with its readers.

A LOW DOWN LIAR.

The following ebullition of feeble spite and futile blackguardism adorns the columns of this morning's Republic: PULITZER'S PAPER.

REGOTIATIONS PENDING FOR ITS ADMISSIO It was currently reported in the Souther Hotel rotunda yesterday that a number of wealthy capitalists had formed a syndicate to publish a Republican paper in this city in op position to the Globe-Democrat. The syndicate is headed by Mr. R. C. Kerens and John W Gates. Negotiations are said to be pending for the purchase of the Post-Disparch plant for his Western paper, and it is quite likely The only comment to be made on such a

publication is that the author of it is

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS. A. C. G.—The crew required to man the Great Eastern was 400 men. A SUBSCRIBER.—The widow of a home guard is not entitled to a pension. A SUBSCRIBER.—We have no information to impart on the subject of lottery drawings.

CONTRIBUTOR.—Teraxicum when used in ternally for the benefit of the skin is not in-jurious. MARKET STREET MEMBER.—The best way to earn the laundry business is to go to work in laundry.

a laundry.

L. D. Balfour, Carthage, Mo.—The question is a favorite catch and affords room for end READER,—England proper has an area of 51,000 square miles. The area of Missouri is 69,415 square miles. T. S.—The addresses of men who repair musical instruments are printed in the adver-tising columns only.

LITTLE CRANK.—The "Little Puck" combi-nation has no engagement at any of the local theaters this season.

INQUISITIVE.—The population of London is not over 5,000,000. According to the census of 1886 it was 4,149,553.

of 1886 it was 4,149,853.

CONSTANT READER.—There is no premium on a 50-cent piece of 1864. A dime of 1838, without stars, is worth 75 cents.

FRENCHIE, East St. Louis, Ill.—Is your stamp on the upper or lower right hand corner? Your question is not explicit.

E. J. P.—Cleveland's plurality over Harrison in the total vote of the country is 97,826. His plurality over Blaine in 1884 was 62,683.

W. A. H.—The answer was intended to read "eggs," but a typographical error made it "eyes." See a druggist for the information you want.

The "Post-Dispatch" Will Have a \$10,000 Christmas Tree.

Another One Hundred Dollars Added to the Fund This Morning.

"Famous"-Mere Ladies Wanted to Help in This Work-New Donations Beceived Coming From Alton-Letters Beceived From Little Felk.

NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS.....



a St. Louis as this greatest of the world's fesever done in the way of a Christworld. Only one more week remains to ought to break the record. Week before last again broken, for we ought to add at hind the ratio of gain we have been making here in all its glory, and St. Louis will afford make the poor happy and remember what the lay means to all mankind. Truly the

dolls still to dress and that it must be done by Thursday. The third floor at "Famous" has been fitted up for this purpose, and every convenience. material, etc., are there. Any lady who will give an hour or so of her time to this work will be very welcome at the place named and give the committee much desired help.

The Entertalment Committee examined the tree kindly donated by Mr. John Grundmeyer of Union Market and came to the conclusion that although it was the largest Christmas tree ever brought to St. Louis it was not as large as the occasion demands. A trip was made tolUpper Alton to; the magnificent grounds of the Wyman Institute, the principal of which had offered to donate one of the handsomest Norway pines on the grounds. This kind offer was accepted and Wednesday's Alton packet will bring down a "Monarch of the Forest" whose height is 35 feet, width at base 35 feet and diameter of trunk 18 inches. The tree is perfectly symmetrical and the branches strong enough to hold not only the hundreds of elecric lights, but the thousands of handsome edmands of articles will be jung upon it. This grand tree will be put in position on the stage of Music Hall and the work of decorating it will be hung of articles will be hung of articles will be hung on this tree and it will present an will be hung of articles will be hung to the tree to the hung on the tree to the hung on the stage of Music Hall and the work of decorating it will be hung on the tree to the hung on the hung on the tree to the hung on the stage of Music Hall and the work of decorating it will be hung on the tree to the hung on the hung on the tree to the hung on the hung of the hung of the hung of the hung on the hung

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MR. MORRISON IS CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRIBUTION OF TICKETS FOR THE "POST-DISPATCH" CHRISTMAS TREE THATELY AND MAINTAIN AT EXPONETION MUSICI ENTERTAINMENT AT EXPOSITION MUSIC IMPORTANT TO REMEMBER IN THIS CON-NECTION THAT THE CHILDREN MUST BE UNDER 14 YEARS OF AGE, AND THAT THEY MUST FULLY DESERVE TO RECEIVE THE BENEFITS OF WHO ARE ENTHELY DEPARDENT UPON THE "POST-DISPATOR" CHRISTMAS TREE PUND FOR CHRISTMAS CHEER AND ENTITLED TO TICKETS. EVERY TICKET ASKED FOR A CHILD WHO IS NOT ENTITLED TO IT WILL DEPRIVE SOME FOOR LITTLE ONE OF TRISTMAS PRESENT. THIS FACT SP E BORNE IN MIND BY SQUESTS. HACH RE-THE NAME AND AD-

DRESS OF THE WRITER. SEND REQUESTS IMMEDIATELY.

M. A. Nash & Co., dealers in sporting goods, 618 Pine street.

5. A handsome \$10 shaving mug, upon which the winner's name will be inscribed; donated by August Kern, 524 and 926 North Sixin street,

6. A pair of handsome plush placques, with floral center pleces and easels, valued at \$15; donated by L. E. Green & Son, milliners, 516 and 518 Franklin avenue.

9. Two tutting machines for making rugs; donated by the Coe Manufacturing Co., 811 North Fourth street.

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Charles Fielder 51 to 53 Mrs. Stewart
Eddie Greig 54 Guy Bugele
Mrs. Jno. Wol-55 Gertie Rugele
56 Miss Kalodrie
57 Miss C. J. Whitelaw Lottie Wolbrech 57

DRESSING THE DOLLS.

The third floor of the Famous building shelf, to the east and south, and from these receptacies peeped dolls in scant and other attire. On the east side was a busy group of ladies engaged in dressing other dolls for the Post-Dispatch Christmas tree. All sorts of dolls in varying shades, blonde and brunette, lay about waiting for tea gowns, fedoras, or some other style dresses.

The dressing of these toys, so dear to girlish hearts, has been worked down to a system. The material used is red and blue boating cloth. One set of ladies do the cutting, another the stitching, while others attire the dolls in their newly made habiliments. The material is purchased by the bolt, and a piece of ten yards is hemmed at one time. After it is hemmed on both edges, the measure of the doll is taken, a piece cut off, sewed up on a machine and the dress is ready to be slipped on the doll. Then it is tucked in at the waist and this fluishes it.

therefore the desire for more aid. Ladies down town shopping will receive a hearty welcome if they step in for a little while and lend willing fingers to the task assumed by the charitable ladies.

One of the workers this morning was Mrs. Charles T. Whitsett, who suggested an admirable scheme.

"To-morrow," she said, "all the church sewing societies hold their weekly meetings. Now, couldn't the Post-Disparce induce these societies to come here to the famous building and help us out in this work instead of doing their regular society work? It twould be such a help."

The good sense and timeliness of this suggestion cannot but be apparent to the societies in question and the committee is prepared to welcome them to-morrow with open arms.

The uniformity and simplicity of the gowns are of such a description that any one who knows how to pash a needle, pull it through the cloth or wield a pair of acissors can find plenty to occupy them. The room is large and light, twenty-five gowns are out out at a time and the field is now open.

This morning Mr. Jos. Specht sent forty dolls to Mrs. J. R. Kent of 1911 Bacon street and one hundred to Miss Agnes Matthew of 3710 Dayton street, any other requests for dolls to dress will be filled involving not less than forty dolls, and any doll dressing clubs composed of ladies with ample leisure, who would prefer working at one or another's bisque and sawdust undity, to be beautified by their taste and skill.

Christmas Tree Boxes.

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Boxes for the reception of contributions to the Post-Disparch Christmas-tree fund have been placed at the following points: Wm. Barr Dry Goods Co., Sixth and Olive, two boxes.
D. Crawford & Co., Broadway and Franklin avenue, two boxes.

Penny & Gentles, Broadway and Franklin

Venue.

B. Nugent & Bro., Siō to 821 North Broadway.

Delicatessen, 115 North Fourth street.
Delicatessen, 712 Olive street.
Delicatessen, 714 ann 715 North Broadway.
Southern Hotel bar.

Delicatessen, 15 and 718 North Broadway.
Southern Hotel bar.
Lindell Hotel bar,
Hurst's Hotel bar, Haquette & Goldan.
Bart Ready's saloon, 714 North Sixth street.
P. J. Carmody's saloon, 213 and 215 North
Sixth street.
The Merchants' Saloon, 0. A. Rosraer & Co.,
616 Washington ayenue.
F. Loehr's saloon, 119 North Third street.
Oate Ordwein, 263 North Broadway.
Gregory's "Around the Corner," Eighth
and Olive streets.
Frank A. Nagel's saloon, restaurant and
Oyster-house, Sixth and St. Charles Streets.
The Pearl Saloon, John Bloeser, 618 Washington evenue.

Four of the street and steam railways of the city have agreed to carry free on Christmas day all children holding tickets to the Post-

Mr. J. P. Richardson:
DEAR SIR—We are glad indeed to comply
with the committee's request of the 11th inst
and will notify our conductors not to cellect
fares from any child having a ticket to the
POST-DISPATCH Christmas tree on the day it is

From the State Capital.

I send you \$4 which I collected. I thought would have a big purse to send you but I have friends, so I send you what I have. Tell

Jefferson City, Mo. Total ..... \$4 00

From the employes of J. R. Webber & Co. Molding and Frame Factory, 2000, 2009 Total.....

My sister and I got up a collection for the to make the poor children happy, as we always have a nice time Christmas and a nice tree. We think Santa Claus is very kind to all good children. Wishing you and all the poor children a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year forever. Your and the poor children's friends,

27524 Ohio avenue. GERTIE A. BUGELE,
P. S.—The following is what we collected from our friends. The amount is \$12. I wrote this myself.

Ed Carroll. P. Grimes.

Inclosed please find our check for \$10, the amount subscribed by the employes of our firm for the benefit of the Christmas-tree fund

BARR, SRASONGOOD & CO. 50 Cash
50 E Graf.
10 Hernard
25 M. C. Seegers
10 Occar Graf.
10 Sidney Schiele
10 L. B. Singer.
10 Cash
50 Cash

The employes of Methody & Meyer subscribe to the Post-Disparch Christmas Tree Fund,

25 A. M. Lee.

25 Total ...

Total .....

CALESTE ATMOND'S LIST. (Aged 11. Lyon School.)

MAY SHE NEVER BE SION AGAIN.

Please accept 25 cents from a little sick girl or the Christmas-tree fund. Hoping the poor children will all have a merry Christmas, I temain sincerely yours.

1831 Olive street. IDA BELLE LA SHORN.

Mrs. Irene Agnew. 10 Dottle.
Friend of the poor 25 Mack...
Christmas-tree... 25 Cash.

10 Mr. Blake. Miss Carroll...... 10 Mr. Tho Mrs. Menown.... 25 Mary Cls Mrs. Mosher..... 10 Mrs. Johnston... 10 Total... Please find inclosed 25 cents to swell the and for the poor children's Chrismas tree rom Walter Scott, 10 cents.

Mamis Scott, 10 cents.

James Scott, 5 cents.

MAY HALLIE ALWAYS BE HAPPY.

Inclosed, please find \$2.08, the amount of my collection in the interest of your grand charity. God bless you for your noble efforts to behalf of the poor, is the earnest prayer of your little friend,

Hot Springs, Ark.

My name is Lollie Murphy; I'm my mamma's only girl. I asked her if I could send 25 cents of my Christmas money to the Post-Dis Patou Christmas tree and she said yes. I was awful glad, so I send it cheerfully. 2301 Biddle street, St. Louis, Mo.

WE WILL GET THERE.
Inclosed please find 90 cents from my little
brother and self. We used to live in 8t. Louis,
and my papa takes the Post-Disparce. My
mamma reads about the Christmas tree to us
every evening. I hope you will get \$5,000.

MERCER EEGLI, aged 4.
Louise Regul, aged 7.
Carterville, Jasper Co., Mo.

Inclosed find \$2.75, which we collected

1109 Chestnut street.

NETTIE'S NOTE.

Inclosed please find 10 cents for the PustDISPATCH Christmas tree fund. I a little girl
10 years of age. My name is
NETTIE SIMPSON.

and EUGENE METRUDY.

TWO LESS THAN POINT.

I send you 38 cents, all I have. Will send more when I get it. Some of my customers owe me. I will send that when I get it. Yours truly.

HIS ECOND COLLECTION.

Inclosed you will find 70 cents which I have collected for the benefit of the Post-Dispatch X mas-tree. Yours, Amenoise Pouscelly.

Broadway and Nagel sycone.

OVER HIS OWN SIGNATURE.

Please give this to the poor children for the Christmas tree. I am 4 years old.

KIER DAVIS.

1010 North Compton avenue.

It is little, but it will help.
ALBERT, CHARLET AND GRACE.

The Christmas Tree Fund.

The following is the daily summary of subscriptive centred by the Post-Disparent for the grand Christmas-tree entertainment at Exposition Music Hall Christmas day:
Already acknowledged
Eulalia McGrath, Jefferson City, colis
Watter, Mamie and Jennie Scott
Hallie Hosespie, Hot Springs, Ark.
Lailie Marphy
Hercer and Louise Regil, Carterville
J. R. Webber & Co. employes
Ambroise Fourcelly, collected
Nellie Simpson.
Robt. Bessoli.
Creve Cocur Lake Ice Co. employes
Alexander Baptiste employes
Lucas B. S. Ransas
Jack Ganlies
Cash
Louise Reichholdt collected
Three little Upper Alton Boys
Ida Beile La Shom

HARLES FRANCIS ADAMS' A

THE BOSTON COMMERCIAL CLI The State of the Eallway Business Generally—No Danger of a Trust—The Advantages of the Pooling System—Other

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

NEW YORK, December 17.—The Times to
morning prints the following: When Char the interstate commerce law and the prestate of railway affairs in this country painted a pretty dark picture, but which is believed by many railway in New York to be freely colored, be sure he did not hold the were in a bad way, that the tendency question frequently discussed in this city yes

read President Adams' paper and on the whole agreed yesterday with the santi ments expressed by the Union Pacific's nea. business generally, and the results towar which the course of events was shaping itself Mr. Fink has always been the ablest supported of the pooling system. He holds that there is no danger of a "trust" among the roads in mon law, and if that is not sufficient the inte state law forbidding unreasonable and unjust rates. Pooling on the other hand, he says, would be simply an agreement to stop rulnous competition

agreement to stop rulnous competition after fair and reasonable rates have been established and reported to the Interstate Commission, who would object to the tariff if not reasonable and just. Popularly there is an objection to the pool on the ground that it tends towards monopoly, but this objection is not of weight for competition is sure to be too strong to prevent extortionate rates. Under the old pools railroads managed their affairs better than they have succeeded in doing for the last two years but the pool did away with the temptation to violation of the law and break rates.

Pools are regularly recognized and employed

our interests are too diversified to permit a grand consolidation."

"What are the chances of changes in the interstate law by Congress?"

"There is no likelihood of the law being repealed in any case. West of the Middle States you will find a very strong anti-railroad sentiment and the Congressmen from that region would vote in accordance with the feelings of their constituents. Then I do not look for much change in the law this session. But do look for botter faith on the warf of the railroad people and a better tase of things of the next year. Matters

200,000.

Later.—The boat struck a mag ab o'clook, yesterday morning and is not at the foot of Dead Man's Hippie in seve of water with a hole 2 feet square in the rivers are rising to day and uniboat is removed at open is will be wrecked.

RIDDLEBERGER'S BOMB. HIS RESOLUTION TO REORGANIZE THE SENATE AIMED AT INGALLS.

Vitaperative Kansan Scorched by the Secontric Virginian — A Judgment Against the United States Gained by the

sumstos, D. C., December 17.—At 12:40 y President pro tem. Ingelia laid before enate the resolution of Mr. Riddlebergar, sains a reorganization of the Senate after ary 1, and the author spoke in support of the said its object was to put some other the Senator from Kaness in the chair, ting that he had been the chief figure in cost disorderly seenes he could recollect ring on the Senate floor. He said a go was necessary in order that the faith a Republican party, pledged to a con-

tion, but objection was made by Mr. Harris of Tennessee, who moved to lay it on the table and called for the yeas and nays, after paying a high tribute to Mr. Ingalis' impar-ishly and ability. Finally the Senator from Virginia was permitted to withdraw his reso-lution, and the incident closed.

Promoted Leon O. Bailey. sident to-day sent the following nomina

Leon O. Bailey of Indians to be attorney of the United States for the District of Indiana. Postmasters: C. J. Partiett, Murlin, Pex.; B. J. Atkins, Broa yen. As; J. M. Goode, Pratt Minea, Frank A. Giass, Cresco, Io.; Sa. C. Skemp, Maywood, Ill.; Francis J. Weismantel, Naperville, Ill.; Nerl A. Hanns, Cadis, C.; Carl F. Stoezei, Londonville, O.; Tilghan N. Robbins, Niles, O.; Donald McDonald, Pomeroy, O.; Flavius A. Hart, Oberlin, O.; Alphonsa Blekett, Florence, Kan.; Howard A. Graham, Broken Bow, Nob.; Charles E. Alken, Brookings, Dak.; John J. Fitzgerald, Madison, Dak.; John J. Fitzgerald, Madison, Dak.; John W. Dawson, Phillipsburg, Moot.

Washington, D. C., December 17.—This morning the Senate sub-committee in charge of the sariff bill heard a delegation of manufacturers upon the schedule of feltings. They had not completed their work when the hour for the Senate to convene had arrived, and the Dommittee will hear them further this evening. After them will come representatives of the manufacturers of ruchings and rufflings and settings.

retary of the Interior to-day rendered a deagainst the United States. The claim against the United States. The claim directly involves about thirteen hundred acres of land granted to the State under the swamp land act of 1850. The decision affirms that of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, rejecting the claims of the State and in favor of the present officers and occupants of the land.

Lowered the Age to Fifty.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 17.—A week ago Mr. Lawier of Illinois introduced a bill granting a pension of \$12 a month to honor granting a pension of all a month to honorably discharged soldiers and saliors when thay have attained the age of 60 years. Since that time he has been the receiplent of many letters requesting him to lower the minimum abel to 50 and this morning he introduced a bill in accordance with that request.

Judgment for \$107,678.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 17.—The Court of Claims to-day gave judgment for \$107,678 in favor of the New York Central Rais for the refund of internal revenue taxes. Deficiency Appropriation.

WASHINGTON. D. C., December 17 .- The

Death of Col. Bobert LaMotte.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 17.—Acting Addt.—Gon. Kelton has been informed of the death at Fort Supply, I. T., of Col. Robert LaMotte, Thirteenth Infantry.

ASHINGTON, D. C., December 17 .- To day's bond offerings aggregated \$183,000 as follows: Coupon 4s, \$30,000 at 128%; registered 4s, \$10,000 at 128, ex-interest; registered \$4s, \$10,000 at 1084; \$10,000 at 1084; \$10,000 as 108, ex-interest; \$2,000 at 1084; \$1,000 at \$1084; \$5,000 at 1084; \$1,000 at 108; \$1.000 at 108; \$1,000 at 108; \$1,000 at 1084; \$1,000 at 1

Washington, D. C., December 17.—Among the bills reported from the committees and placed on the Senate calendar this morning were the following:

Benate bill to establish a mint of coinage in Denver, Colo.

The House bill to provide certain arms, munistons and equipage to the State of Oregon for military purposes.

The Senate bill to open abandoned military reservations in Nevada to homestead entry.

Ms. Morrill offered a resolution (which went over for the present) to hold evening sessions hereafter, the Senate to take a recess from 5.30 to 5 p. m.

Washington, D. C., December 17.—On motion of Mr. Phelan of Tennessee a bill was passed for the incorporation of the American Historical Association. Andrew D. White of New Yerk, George Bancrett of the District of Columbia and Justin Windsor of Massachusetts are among the incorporators named.

Mr. McMillan of Tennessee, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported back the concurrent resolution introduced by Mr. Hooker of Mississippi, providing for a holiday recess from Friday, December 21, till Monday, January 7. The committee propose an amendment striking out Monday, January 7, and inserting Friday, January 4.

Mr. Springer of Illinois was of the opinion that, owing to the press of important legislation before Congress, recess should be as short as possible.

The committee amendment was rejected—yeas 98, nays 108—and the original resolution was agreed to. Mr. Sowden of Fennsylvania, from the Committee on Ascounts, reported a resolution appropriating \$2,000 cutof the contingent fund of the House to pay the expenses of the Ford Immigration Committee.

Mr. Dunham of Illinois said that the committee had already expended \$6,000. The matter had the appearance to him of a junketing affair.

Mr. Ford of Michigan said that no man

mittee had already expended 8,600. The matter had the appearance to him of a junketing affair.

Mr. Ford of Michigan said that no man familiar with the work of the committee would accuse it of any lankes or extravagant axpenditures. The committee had worked diligantly and had examined many witnesses (many of them unwilling), and when the testimony was printed and perused by the gentleman from Illinois, he would not accuse the committee of wasting public money. The committee desired to conclude its investigation, and make a report to Congress immediately after the holiday recoss.

Congress immediately after the holiday recess.

Mr. Guenther of Wisconsin remarked that if the gentleman from Illinois thought that the committee was a junkeling committee he (hir. Guenther) as a member of that committee would rasign in the gentleman's favor.

Mr. Karr of lowa thought that there was no necessity for the committee to proceed further with its investigation. In a couple of months there would be an administration in harmony wish the laws on the statute books. The officers appointed under that Administration would see that the laws were enforced, and there would be no necessity for Congress to institute an investigation in order to make these officers enforced the laws.

Mr. Gonet New York hoped that the House would give the committee the money it saked for. It ought to be able to preport a bill of some kind so that the laws might be more tringently effectuated.

If the laws were defective has thought they

HANDSOME Children's Suits, 75c, \$1.45, \$2.50

on Saturday night an express robbery was committed within half a mile from the station here. Express train No. 8, going northward, was a few minutes behind time, and left the station 100 yards when Eugineer Law became aware of the fact that two men were on board the en-gine. He slacked up and was about to stop

when the men advanced with rifles and point-ing them at Law and the fireman ordered them to move the train along. When about half a mile from the station they made

to move the train along. When about hair a mile from the station they made Law stop the train and made him and his fireman get down off the engine. The two robbers made the engineer and his companion walk before them to the express car. After knocking for some time the door was opened by Messenger W. H. Harris. Pointing a pistol at his head one of the men commanded Harris to lift him into the ear once in there the robber proceeded to business and soon had the contents of the money box. Conductor P. B. Wilkinson jumped off the train, but was warned by the engineer and the robber outside that HE WOULD BE EXILED if he made any resistance. He returned to the ladies, coach, where there were about twenty men. He asked for assistance, but no one moved. He then went into the smoker, where only one man, Charles Hughes from Jackson, Tenn., responded. Wilkinson and Hughes armed themselves with Winchesters, and jwent out, opening fire on the robber returned the fire, and after about six shots Hughes was hit fatally and returned to the car, where he died a few minutes later. When the man inside finished his job he stepped out, and with his companion walked away, firing as they went. The men only succeeded in getting about \$3,000.

Greatly Disappointed.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., December 17 .- Officials the Southern Express Co. say their loss by the train robbery Saturday night near by the train robbery Saturday night near Duckhill. Miss., will not exceed \$3,000. The train which tollowed had \$139,000 in the express car. The robbers were evidently provided with horses at the place where they stopped the train and as all the telegraph wires were down, owing to a storm which was prevailing they had full eight hours the start of the pursuing parties. There were only two men engaged in the robbery. The man who shot Hughes was armed with two large-size revolvers. After he had emptied one at Hughes and the conductor, he coolly replaced it in his hoister and commenced firing the other. When Hughes shot at him the engineer fied into the woods leaving the robber alone as a target. This robber boldly stood his ground until his companion had riffed the express safe of all its valuables, when they walked off together into the swamp. They ware provided with a large sack, and no doubt were greatly disappointed at the small amount they secured.

PARTIES looking for Christmas presents should bear in mind that a good pocket knife is one of the most appreciated and useul for all presents for either sex, and in giving a present of this kind one should always be sure to get an article of good quality. Sim-mons Hardware Co. carry the largest and best assortment of Rodger's, Wostenholm's pay first quality prices for other brands.

W. H. BLISS' FEE,

submission to Judge Thayer of an ex-Dis-

The case of Wm. H. Bliss vs. the United States was submitted to Judge Thayer in the United States Circuit Court this morning. Mr. Bliss, who was up to the time of the present incumbent, T. P. Bashaw, United present incumbent. T. P. Bashaw, United States District Attorney, sues to recover \$1,500 which he claims is due him for services in the ease of the United States vs. the Missouri Pacific Railway a suif for internal revenue taxes. The Pacific Railroad in Missouri became liable for the taxes and the Missouri Pacific Railway, being its successor was sued for recovery. There was an decision in favor of the railway from which Mr. Bliss wished to appeal but was instructed by the Atterney-tieneral that he acquesced in the decision. No appeal was taken, but the case was compromised for 11,000 and costs. Mr. Bliss taxed a fee of \$2,000 as costs, and the money was paid. In his settlement with the Government the Treasury Department demanded the fee. He paid it over under protest and the suit now in Court was the result. Elenious Smith, who was Mr. Bliss' assistant when the latter was District Attorney, argued the plantiff's case, and erguited much merel Elenious Smith, who was Mr. Bliss' assistant when the latter was District Attorney, argued the plaintiff's case, and created much marriment in the court-room by his reading of the opinion of the First Comptroller of the Treasury on the case. The opinion contained equal parts of Law Library catalogue, tacknewed political quotations and the balderhash of moot court briefs. It was evidently a large-sized joke perpetrated on the First Comptroller by some youngster of the law. Judge Thayer took the case under advisement.

The special committee of the House of Delegates on putting telegraph and telephone wires under ground will meet to-morrow atternoon. This subject is now being considered in both branches of the Municipa Assembly. A bill applying for a condustranchise is pending in the Council.

THOUSANDS of Children's Overcoats, 96c \$1.50, \$9, \$2.50, \$8.50 and \$5. GLOBE, 705 to 718 Franklin avenue.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

PINE BLUFF, Ark., December 17.—Thomas
Maroney, the young brakeman who yesterday was run over by a locomotive of the St. Louis Arkansas & Texas Railway, died last night He made a misstep trying to get on the foot board, and was carried under. He was from Monroeville.

M. J. Steinberg, 307 Broadway. Fur gloves, caps and robes.

Plantation Burned.

ty Telegraph to the Post-Disparch. Havana, Ouba, December 17,—A fire at 1 a. m. Saturday destroyed the building and sugar shed of the Sants Rita plantation, quacate near Matanzas. It was from this plantation that Senor Galindes was kidnapped and he had to pay an enermous ransom.

Last week Globe reduction sale.

The wife of Judge Garland Pollard, of Pollard & Werner, died this morning at the Planters' House, after an illness of about two weeks. Mrs. Pollard has been in bad health for some time, and on that account has lived very quietly. She and her husband are well known here, however, and have many friends who will regret to hear of her death.

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leing Folls.

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ESTHE SOONER THE BETTER.

Says Sheriff Pohlman-Late Court Notes. So Says Sheriff Pohlman—Late Court Notes.

"Now pomes John H. Pohlman, Sheriff of the City of St. Louis, and for answer to the petition of John Krauss, H. M. Snyder and John E. Vogel, filed herein, denies that said petition truly states the facts which caused them to file the same, but this respondent joins in the prayer of said petitition that said Krauss, Snyder and Vogel be disoharged from his official bond as sureties, and prays that they be ordered to go thereform, and to go quickly." Snoh is the answer filed by the Sheriff through his attorney, Ford Smith, in the matter of his withdrawing bondsmen. 'Ye is terse, but explains itself.

MURRAY AND MURPHY in "Our Irish Vist tors' at Pope's Theater, Friday afternoon for the benefit of the Post-Disparch Christ

COURT OF CRIMINAL CORRECTION.

Number of Cases of Interest Which Were Disposed of To-Day. Charles Wisdom, the negro who stole \$1,000 worth of jewelry from Charles H. Bailey's residence, 8821 Delmar avenue, and returned by another negro named Love, waived preliminary hearing in the Court of Crimins Correction to day, and was held for the Grand-inry in \$1,000 bond.

William Bergesch and John Ware were ex-amined on a charge of stealing fifty-four vests valued at \$100 from Elix Goldstein and Philip Bachman on a charge of receiving the

amined on a charge of stealing lifty-four vests valued at \$100 from Bilx Goldstein and Philip Buchman on a charge of receiving the property stolen. Bergesch was held for the Grand-fury in \$1,000 bond and the others were disoharged.

Thomas Garvin was sent to the Work-house for stealing a bridle, showel and hay fork belonging to George Sanders.

A nolle prosequi was entered in the case of G. M. Saul by the Electric Publishing company, charged with embezzling \$250 from J. E. Manafield. It will be remembered Saul secured a deposit of that amount from Manafield when he employed the latter, and then falled. He got money from various other parties whom he employed, amounting in all to \$1,400, but he gave the others stock in the concern, and made them sign contracts. The charge of embezziement was noile prosequied, because a charge of fraud has been entered against him.

Nolle prosequied with assault and battery; Emma Rulz, same offense, and George Fretteboir, wife abandonment.

MURRAY AND MURPHY in "Our Irish Visitors'' at Pope's Theater, Friday afternoon, for the benefit of the PCST-DISPATCH Christ

Smuggled Diamonds Seized.

NEW YORK, December 17 .- A passenger who Etruria tried to smuggle in \$25,00 Eturia tried to smuggle in \$25,000 worth of diamonds. They were discovered by the customs officers and seized. They were carried in a little oil-skin covered valise. The man is said to be a S uthern merchant. The officials will not give his name.

It is learned that the man's name is Gilbert Larrios. He describes himself as a wholesale clothing merchant of Nicaragua. He says he had no intention of smuggling, not being familiar with our customs laws. He states that he intended to give the jewels to his fiances.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., December 17 .- An imrtant conference of millers is being held in makers of flour, from all parts of the country are in attendance. The meeting was called to order at the Plankinton House at 2:30 p. m., and the present condition and future prospects of the flour trade are under discussion. A banquet will be given in honor of the visitors this evening. Another business session will be held in the morning.

MURRAY AND MURPHY in "Our Irish Visifor the benefit of the POST-DISPATCH Christ

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., December 17 .- A secdore Shotwell, senior member of the defunct firm of Shotwell, Clerihew & Lothman funct firm of Shotwell, Clerinsw & Lothman. The charge is larceny in the first degree. Shotwell is charged with obtaining \$50,000 from the Northwestern National Bank on the strength of false statements as to the financial condition of his firm. Mr. Shotwell pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at \$2,000 and trial set for January 16, It is charged that Shotwell represented the firms indeptedness to be \$450,000 less than it really was.

He Was Lucky.

Mat Kelty, the saloon-keeper of Twentyfirst and Chouteau avenue, who threw down Saturday night a week ago and then had a tussie with Officer Dan Walsh when the latter attempted to arrest him, was to have been tried before Judge Cady this morning on charges of disturbing the peace and resisting arrest. Both cases, however, were dismissed on payment of costs, the police department agreeing to this disposition of the case.

M. J. Steinberg, Mapufacturing Furrier. Sealskin garment, good and cheap. Criminal Court Cases.

A noile prosequi was entered in the Criminal Court to-day in the case of William Gage, charged with burgiary and larceny. Gage was jointly indicted with Charies Reynolds and some time ago the latter pleaded guilty and was given two years in the Penitentiary. There was no evidence on which to hold Gage Frank Parker, the negro boy who was indicted for assaulting to kill Officer Murty O'Sullivan, had his case continued for a month.

A Brakeman Killed.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATOR.

BONHAM, Tex., December 17.—Last night at
Texarkana Stoney Whitleadge of this city, a
brakeman on the Texas & Pacific Railway, fell from his train and was killed. His body will be brought here for burial. Whitleadge was about il years of age and was well thought of in the city and in the county, where he lived for some time.

Oregon Short Line Earnings Bosron, Mass., December 17.—The Oregon Short Line Rallway Company's statement for October shows: Earnings, \$283,485; increase, \$116,947... Surplus, deducting expenses, \$148,-906; increase, \$33,382. Fir ten months to Octo-ber \$1: Earnings, \$3,185,611; increase, \$357,-185... Surplus, \$368,518; increase \$482,308.

The Popular Brown Jug.

Newront, Ark., December 17.—This is a prohibition town, according to the order of the County Judge of Jackson County. How much the people are in sympathy with prohibition can be inferred from the statement made this morning by the express agent in Newport. When asked how many jugs were in the office he repiled: "I do not know, but the number is over fifteen hundred."

Baltimone, Md., December 17.—James C. Morford, aged M, the last member of the Association of Old Defenders of Baltimore, died here to day.

EAST ST. LOUIS AND BELLEVILLE.

The Advisory Committee and School Board of East St. Louis will hold a merting to morrow evening at the Lincoln School Building for the purpose of considering the advisability of purchasing a site in the Fourth Ward on which to erect an additional school-house. The members of the board are not quite certain whether the money can be reised to erect three new buildings without levying additional bonds, and it is therefore thought necessary that prompt action be taken in the matter in order to convince a number of misinformed citizens what course the advisory committee and the board will pursue.

The Concordia Gesang Verein will give their fourth annual masquerade ball on New Years' Eve. December \$1, at Heim's Hall.

East St. Louis Lodge, A. O. U. W., will give a grand ball at Boughan's Hall on the evening of December \$1.

Charles Kay was fined \$2 and costs by Justlee Bunyan this morning for disturbing the peace.

C. F. Cockrell, City Attorney of East St.

Charles kay was med as and costs by Justice Bunyan this morning for disturbing the peace.

O. F. Coekrell, City Attorney of East St. Louis, returned last evening from Springfield, Ill.

Heroid Fox was locked up last evening on suspicion of theft. This morning he was discharged by the Chief.

The City Court record books of East St. Louis show that an unusually large number of cases have been filed for trial during the January term.

There is some talk of making an affort to have the County Board of Supervisors locate the county farm nearer to this city.

The East St. Louis Lyceum is steadily increasing in its membership.

The Democratic Judicial Committee of the Third District of Illinois meet at the Martell House this evening for the purpose of deciding the time and place of holding a convention to nominate a candidate for Circul Junge to succeed the late Judge Watts.

The Song Service, given under the anspices of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. last evening, was largely attended.

Alexander Hughes, a brakeman of the M. & O. R. R., slipped and fell from the top of a box car this morning severely bruising his body.

Nathan Harris, editor of a journal in Indian.

body.

Nathan Harris, editor of a journal in Indian-apolis, Ind., was in the city in the moraling to pay a visit to the editor of the East St. Louis Herald. The City Council meets this evening to transact some routine business.

The Circuit Court convened to-day for the The Circuit Court convened to-day for the last tit a during the present term. All busine s will be finished up, and court will adjourn still the February term.

Mr. Leopold Wohigemuth, a we known Belleville citizen, has purchased a building on the corner of C and Walnut streets at a cost of \$1,200 and will erect a handsome dwelling thereon in the apring.

The pool tournament at Kohl's billiard parlors begins this evening. There will be six contestants, who will each play ten games with the others. The player winning the largest number of games is entitled to the first prize and the amateur championship of the city.

Nicholas Zink of Henrichstown, 60 years of age, from whose face a cancer was burned last week by Drs. Perryman, West and Rayhill, is recovering. The operation was avery delicate one, as the cancer removed was located just below the eye.

Anthony Lynch, aged 28, of St. Louis and Miss Eilen J. McNames, aged 48, of the same town, were granted a marriage license to-day.

Money always returned if goods do not suit.

MONEY always returned if goods do not suit. GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

CABONDELET JOTTINGS. Another Robbery-The Disappointed Thieves

Misses Estelle and Ophelia Le Marchal gave a tea party at their residence on South Broad-way last Saturday evening, in compliment to a number of friends, among whom were Miss

way last Saturday evening, in compliment to a number of friends, among whom were Miss Waibel, Miss Brunno, Miss Miller, Messrs. E. Bernard, Dr. Seller, J. Gaskill and others.

The Enterprise Social Club will give a musical entertainment New Year's afternoon at Latayette Hall.

A poorly clad young woman, but who was strikingly pretty, called at the police station about 8 o'clock last evening and asked Acting Capt. Campbell if she might be given a lodking for the night as ahe was without friends, home or money. The poor woman had left her home in the southern part of Missouri, and waived all the vay to St. Louis for the purpose of obtaining work. She gave her name as Mrs. Sarah Aldrich, 22 years of age. Her husband died a few short weeks ago leaving her penniless. Capt. Campbell asked her if she had anything to eat. He was surprised to hear that the poor creature had caten nothing for several days. A warm supper was gotten for her and after she had partaken she was placed in one of the cells near the stove, where she passed the night. This morning, she was taken to the Lincoln Institute, on South Broadway, where she will be locked after by the authorities.

Another daring robbery was perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening. The perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening. The perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening. The perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening. The perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening. The perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening. The perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening. The perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening. The perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening. The perpetrated in the heart of Carondelet, between 6 and 8 o'clock last evening the perpetrated in the heart o

wm. Beckley, who reside at No. 7810 Soush Minnesota avenue, were the victims. About 6 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Beckley left home on a visit to Mr. Beckley for their home, returning home a little after 8 o'clock. During their ehort absence their house was broken into by some unknown parties, who ransacked everything from the top of the house to the cellar. The amount of money taken was 20 cents. It is supposed the thieves thought Mr. Beckley had money in the house and knowing that he had left used the opportunity to search for it. Meeting with no success they proceeded to smash the costly furniture in the bed-room. A handsome Massachusetts marble washetand valued at 500 was totally denolished, and also a bureau and wardrobe. The intention of the thieves probably was to get money, as they left clothes and other material untouched. When Mr. Beckley arrived hom he found the side window open. Upon-entering the house he made a hasiy examination, with the above results. The police were immediately notlified.

For the past seven weeks numerous robberies have taken place in Carondeles. The number of police is insufficient to guard against such outrares. Eight patrolmen to a territory of two miles square night and day to watch over the interests of the residents is entirely too small a number. The police, however, have a clew as to who the robbers of Mr. Beckley's house are, and it is anticipated that before nightfall they will be landed in the police station.

FLAP JACK FLOUR for sems. Flap Jack for

MESSENGER ALGER.

President-Elect Sarrison Sends the Michi-SALEM, Mass., December 17.—Russell Alger

SALEM, Mass., December 17.—Bussell Alger of Michigan passed through here on the noon train Saturday on his way to Augusta, Me.. to meet Mr. Blaine. At Ipswich he got out and sent a dispatch to Mr. Blaine asking him to meet him at the station as 0 o'clock that evening. It is understood that Gep. Alger comes direct from Gen. Harrison with an important message for Blaine.

Ir you want a King's feast use Prepared Flap Jack Flour for gems. Bailroad News.

New York, December 17.—Both East and West bound Trunk Line rates, through and local, were advanced to-day, according to the notice given on the 7th Inst. NEW YORK, December 17.—The hearing in Wabash, St. Louis & Facific case, which was to have taken place to day at the office of Foster & Thompson, has been postposed until next Wednesday morning.

Uss prepared Plap Jack Flour. To save time

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Good Market-Stocks Sold and Prices

Obtained To-Day, The feature of the market on the Mining Exchange this morning was the inauguration of the call. Stocks were freely traded in, gener-

At 11:80 the call, which in future will be regular feature of trading, begun, Jo J. Mulially acted as caller, and Albert Singer regular feature of trading, begun. Jo J.
Mullally acted as caller, and Albert Singer
recorded the bids and rules. At a meeting of
the directors a list of stocks had been prepared, the names of which were placed upon
the blackboard, and the call proceeded in
alphabetical order. A rule was adonted by
the Board of Directors prohibiting all public
trading in stocks not listed. The plan adopted
was to list all stocks previously deals in,
which were believed to be metitorious, and in
future to require a sworn statements of the condition of svery property to be presented to
the board before it can be placed on
the list. The right to reject all applications
for listing rests with the Board of Directors.
Mr. Mullally proved to be an admirable caller,
and completed his task shortly before 12
o'clock. The new method is universally approved, and is regarded as a great improvement in the method of conducting business.
The following is the list of stocks—several
properties were overlooked and will appear
on to-merrow's board; Adams, Anderson, Arizona, Astec, Bimetallic, Black Cak,
Bremen, Backskin, Cariboo, Central Silver,
Concepcion, Dinero, Eclipse, Goiden Ers,
Goid King, Gold Rus, Granite Mountain,
Grey Eagle, Hope, I. A. L., Jumbo, Iron
clad. La Union, Mary Foster, Mary
Murphy, Pat Murphy, Major Budd,
Mexican Improvement, Mountain Key, Neath,
Phillips, Fine Grove, Bens, Resalis, San
Francesco, San Pedro, Small Hopes, Silver
Age, Silver Beil, Sidney, West Granite, Wire
Patch, Yuma Copper.

Age, Silver Bell, Sidney, West Granite, Wire Patch, Yuma Copper.

West Granite, while not showing any particular siteration in price, was in strong demand. The market opened at 7345, at which 300 shares were sold; 100 shares brought 73%, after which the price rose to 75. The transfers at this figure amounted to 1,500 shares, the price then receding to 73%, at which 200 shares were disposed of, but again advancing to 75, the market closing with sales agyregating 100 shares at this figure. The presence of Charles Kauffman in the city, he having arrived this morning, gave rise to many speculations, as to the probability of his acceptance of the offer of the superintendency, but as yet he has not made his decision known. His opinion of the property, which he has recently visited, is unofficially reported to be favorable.

Silver Age was in great demand and rose

Silver age was in great demand and rose rapidly on the street; a sale of a block of 9,000 shares was made at \$1.15. On the call \$1.22½ was bid for the stock, but none was sold, the lowest offer being at \$1.27½. The bonds were \$1.15 bid.

A letter from the Black Oak states that the mill will begin mining on the rich ore from the third level, little of which has yet been taken out, about the let of January. The stock was strong at 50, over 2,000 shares heing sold at this figure.

Mary Foster was in good demand. It opened with a sale of 600 shares at 615, but soon dropped to 5. At this figure the sales were vary heavy, over 2,000 shares changing hands. At 615 sales aggregating 700 shares were made, the market closing with transfers amounting to 1,000 shares at 6.

Uss prepared Finp Jack Flour. To save time use Finp Jack Flour.

Conception was 10 bid; 10 was saved for Gold Ring; 100 Jumbe soid at 10, and 30 at 28th. Grantis life Jumbe soid at 17th. And 30 at 28th. Grantis life Jumbe, well-known architect of this city, died on a railroad train this morning while on his way to Keene, N. H.



STEEL SPECTACLES, \$1.00 PER PAIR UPWARDS

DIED.

BERNAYS-Dr. GEO. J. BERNAYS, at the age of 64, on Sunday, December 16, 1888, at 12:30 p. m.
Funeral will take place Tuesday morning, December 18, at 9 o'clock from the family residence, No. OUR IRISH VISITORS.
Next Sunday Matines-Fred Berton in Forgiven

CALLAHAN—On Monday, December 17, 1888, at 1 o'clock a. m., MART CALLAHAN, aged 22 years 8 months and 27 days.

The funeral will take place Wednesday, 1996 inst. at 1:30 o'clock p. m., from residence of her mother, hrs. Ann Callahan, No. 2105 Carr street, to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cematery. Friends are invited to attend. Moberly and Potosi (Mo.) papers pleass copy.

JESSEL—In Bristol, England, in the 98th year of her age, Mrs. BERTHA JESSEL, wife of John A. Jessel and sister of Mr. Louis Halle. POLLARD—Entered into rest, Lida D., beloved wife of Gariand Pollard, December 17, 1885. Funeral services at Emanuel Church, Old Orchard, on Tuesday, December 18, at 1:30 p. m. Interment

WHITSETT-UNDERTAKER, opp. Exposition, 1204 Otive et.; reasonable charges. Tele. 1473,

average. Counter business good. New York exchange 25 per cent discount. Clearances, 8,406,970; balances, \$408,018.

The annual election of the Black Oak was held in East St. Louis this afternoon. The former officers were re-elected.

In reference to the superintendency of the West Granite, Charles Haufman states that the position has not been offered him, and that in no case would be accept it.

M. J. Steinberg, the Turrier. Monkey fore in great variety.

Chicago, Ill., Desember H.—Frank R.
Sweenie, Fira Marshal of the Town of Lake, a
large suburb in which the stockyards are
sliuated, committed suicide this meraling by
cutting his throat. He was a brother of Chicago, and
was for many years conpected with the Chicago Fire Department. He was an artillery
man during the war and one of the prisoners
who escaped from Andersonville prison. No
eques for his mah age is known.

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Mrs. Mart J. Farman has arrive trooklyn, and is with her son, Fen arnham at his residence, 230 Fine str

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comedy drams in dvs acts, by Robert (From the French of Alphones Dan Sunday night, December 28—Mr. Sott new may, entitled "Latd Chumley."

Book-keepers.

WANTED-A No. I bookkeeper with over twenty years' experience, and most excellent recom-mendations from all former ampioyers, desires a po-cition in a first-class house by January 1. Address?

Miscellaneous.

HELP WANTED-MALE.

Book-keepers.

USINESS, SHORTHAND and ENGLISH TRAIN SCHOOL. Open day and night. Corner Broad and Market st. Send for circular. The Trades

WANTED—A first-class practical watchmaker, who has a complete set of tools, in a large wholesals javelry house; best of references required. S. A. Rider & Co., 504 N. 6th st. Boys.

WANTED-Cylinder press feeders. Christian Pub Co., 1522 Lucas place. WANTED-Cylinder and job press feeders. Continental Ptg. Co. 515 N. 3d st. 61 WANTED-Good reliable boy for stable and house work at 2949 Laclede av.; reference required.

Miscellaneous. WANTED-A young man to make fires. 1604

WANTED-15 good wood choppers and grubbers Apply to John Whelan, 3739 Cote Brilliante av WANTED-Colored man for general work; none need apply without best of reference. Hotel WANTED-A man to make himself generally useful in hotel office; one with experience preferred. No. 216 S. 4th st.

WANTED—An honest young man living outside principal cities, to represent, in his own State, an old firm: salary \$70 to \$100 per month; references, Manufacters, Lock Box 1610, N. X. Manufacturer, Lock Box 1610, N. Y.

WANTED Superintendent or foreman and two to
five assistants, according to size and population
of territory in charge; foreman to select his own assistants and to take entire charge of business, make
collections and superintend distribution of advertising matter, relative to the highest collections, and superintend distribution of advertising matter, relative to the Modernia disculter Land
Co., California Mouthly Railroad Excursions, etc.
860 a month and expenses to foreman and \$40 to asistants; expenses advanced and salarise paid monthity through our Eastern office. Enclose 10c postage
for full specimen line of advertising matter, and address: Eastern Office California & Southern Land
Co.,
P. O. Box 525, Cincinnati, O.

SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALES. Clerks and Saleswomen.

WANTED—A situation by young lady as copylet some office. Address G 22, this office. Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED-A dressmaker would like place in far ily as seamstress and to do housework. A dress 8 25, this office. WANTED-1 ady wishes to embroider initials handkerchiefs; 10c to 15c an initial. Call is mediately, 1306 Clark av. Housekeepers.

WANTED-Situation as working house he Apply at once at 812 Market st. General Housework.

WANTED Stuation by a German girl to do light housework and sewing \$16 N, 11th st. 49 Wand sewing Apple, 1010 8. Jefferson av. WANTED-Situation by German girl for house of dinning-room work. Ad. E 24, this office. WANTED—Situation as housegirl; no objection to general housework in small family. Call at 6124

WANTED-A good girl wishes to get a situation for general housework in private family. Appl at 1507 Biddle st. WANTED-A situation as housegirl or general work; can't speak anything but French. Address H 25, this office.

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For every stove or range made in the United State to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st.

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Miscelianeous. WANTED-By a lady, a place to clean up recommenders. Address O 25, this office.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED-Girls to sew on coats and vests and also one presser. 2826 S. 10th st.

WANTED-flouse girl, one who understanding on table; ref. required. 2632 London

HELP WANTED-FEMALES.

WANTED-A nursegirli Protestant prof Miscellaneous. WANTED-Two steady German girls. 1717 Cho

D-Three young ladies to address enve WANTED-Ladies willing to work for legitimate business by old established house; salary 56 per week. Mrs. Elliott, Ladies' Manager, Continenta Co., 418th Olive st., room 52.

WANTED-AGENTS. A GENTS WANTED—\$75 a month and expense A paid any active person to sellour goods; no capital salary monthly; expenses in advance; particular free. Standard hilverware Co., Boston.

BUSINESS WANTED. WANTED-\$1,500 to invest in a good paying man

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WANTED-Twenty well-formed ladies for balle Call this week. School for Stage, 921 Frankli

INFORMATION WANTED. NFORMATION wanted of George H. Learned Call or address E. D. Henry, 511 Washington av

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED. WANTED-To sew half the time for room and WANTED-Boom for two young men, with two meals a day; state terms. Address 0 24, this WANTED—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room bath, fire, gas and good board, for man and wife; not to axceed \$45 to \$50; private family owning their home preferred. Add. S 21, this office. 20

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED. WANTED—Furnished room in exchange for plan lessons; central location preferred. Address 2 25, this office.

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LAST week GLOBE reduction sale.

George Hurley, Mike Lee, Mike Sheehy Henry Hardy, four young crooks, were ar-rested yesterday morning by Sergeant Walsh and Officers Rice and Connors. They were

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shirts the other evening from in front of Mrs. Pfenninger's store, 1820 South Broadway. Six jars of candy, valued at \$5, were stolen

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JUDGE LUBKE TO-DAY. ople Put Asunder and the Reasons for Bad Temper, Brutality and Other Fam-tly Amenities—Will of Morris Taussig—

Judgments Given and Causes Heard. This was default day in Judge Lubke's court, norals as were pointed from the plaintiffs' peons may be gleaned from the following list

f the cases set for trial: Ingenuously plaintive is the tale of marital alsery told through the petition of his attor ney by Guido F. A. Mathias, who sought to be put asunder from his wife, Kate, with as much celerity as might be compatible with the court's dignity. According to his story, his natrimonial mishaps began the day after the parriage, which took place December 21, 1887, when Mrs. Mathias opened up a long series of ad married him merely for spite. That he plaintiff, she then began a system of ridicule,

married June 6, 1887, and lived together till July I7 following. He testified that on the latter date his wife had left him on a visit to friends, and that she did not come back, though he had repeatedly written her to do so. He said he could not account for her conduct, but attributed it to outside influence.

Albert Fidler, if the statement of his wife, Emma, be true, has led her anything but a merry matrimoulal dance. She alleged in her suis for divorce that he had squandered \$1,200 of her money, had failed to support her, and might, in short, be termed a vagrant. She asked for the restoration of her maiden name, Marquard. They were married October 26, 1889, and lived together till June 9, last. Judge Lubke permitted Mrs. Fidler to resume her maiden name.

LIVED WITH HIM FIVE DATS.

Ellen French endured the coanubial compationship of Chas. B. French just five days, from January 18 to 18 last. Her petition for divorce charges her husband with infidelity. Mrs. French was granted the divorce and the restoration of her maiden name.

ALIMONY GRANTED.

Mary Naumann lived with Cons. Naumann as his wife from June, 1887, to July 5 last. Her application for a divorce and the custody of her child was based on the charges that he called her vile names, failed to support her, threatened to kill her and sold the furniture.

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### MONEY.

New York, December 17, 11 am.—The stock market for the first time for several Mondays past, opened higher this morning, first prices showing advances generally of from to to the percent, though Lackawanna and St. Paul were small fractions lower. The strength of these stocks, however, was most pronounced in the advance which followed in the early trading, and they gained 18 and 1 per cent respectively, while the improvement in the rest of the list was con ined to fractions, generally less than the per cent. Some hesitation followed, but the list again gathered strength and further fractional gains were made over the entire list. There was a very moderate business in the general list, but Lackawanna, St. Paul, feading and New England were specially active. The new advance was attended by more animation, and at 11 o'clock the market was active and firm to strong at about the highest prices of the hour.

Noon.—Money easy at 200 per cant. Bar sliver, 32. The stock market remained fairly active and firm to strong after 11 o'clock, further fractional advances being earablished over the entire list, Missouri Pacific being the mean prominent for strength. The best prices were not fully maintained in all cases, but there was no further feature of importance in the dealings, and at 11 o'clock the market was fairly active and firm at a shade under the highest figures.

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NEW YORK, December 17, 3 p. m.—The stock market continued active in the last hour, especially for St. Paul, Reading, Lackawanna and Lake Shore. The market closed serive and strong at about the highest figures.

ROSTON, Mass., December 17.—McSician 4s, 641264; serip, 98; common, 12% 6124; Allondow, December 17, 12.30 p. m.—Consols opened at 35 13-16 for money and 36% for the account.

count.
LONDON, December 17. 4 p. m.—Consuls losed at 96 3 16 for money and 96 7-16 for the count. United States bonds, 48, 1294; A. & W. first, 35; Canadian Pacific, 53%; Eric, 19; Go acconds, 134; Hilmols Central, 1164; lexican ordinary, 434; St. Paul common, 24; New York Central, 1094; Pennsylvania, 18; Heading, 24; Mexican Central firsts, 63%.

New York Stork Quotations. Corrected daily by Matth we & Whittaker, banker and brokers, 121 North Tuird street, St. Louis, Mo.

Brooks?	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Canada Southern	814	61%	814	514
Canadian Pacific	924	931/2	924	934
	33	3314	33	3314
Chicago, St. P., M. & O Chicago, St. P., M. & O.pfd. Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	98	100	98	100
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Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Chicago, Milwankee & St. P	6016	622	6010	6244
Chicago, Milwankee & St. P. Chicago & Northwestern, com				
Cotton Oil Trust	531/2 1374	54¼ 139%	531/6	139
Delaware & Hudson	1261/2	127%	1261	127%
Denver & Rio Grande				*****
East Tennessee, common	70	254	241/2	70
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Fort Worth & Denver		*****	******	*****
Hocking Valley	244			244
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Indiana, Bloomington & W'n	*****	******		*****
Lake Shore	9946	1004	99%	100%
Michigan Central	04	541/2	54	D449
Missouri Pacific	704	7184	7014	714
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	14	14	13	134
Manhattan Planeted	*****	*****		
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Northern Pacific, pfd Ohio Southern	1 5816	584	58	15812
Oregon & Transcontinental Or. Nav. & Trans. com Ohio & Mississippi, com Pacific Mail.	29%	294	28%	29%
Or. Nav. & Trans. com	90	90	8942	8942
Pacific Mali	20%	20%	204	20%
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Philadelphia & Reading	2314			231/2
Pullman Palace Car	4618 17119	477b	4618	4748
Richmond Terminal.	2414	24%	237	2419
St. Paul & Duluth, com St. Paul & Duluth, pfd St. L. & S. F., com				
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Tennessee Coal & Iron	99			29
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Local Bonds. Corrected daily by James Campbell, banker and broker, 307 Pine street.

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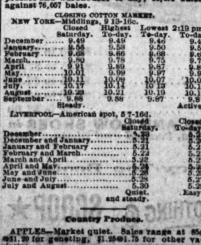
7.85 Jan | 6.90 | 6.92 | 6.77 | 6.77 b May | 7.00 | 7.05 | 6.90 | 6.90 b NEW YORK — Wheat — December, \$1.05 b; Jabuary, \$1.06%; February, \$1.07½b; March, \$1.00b; May, \$1.11% a; June, \$1.11. Corn— December, 46½; January, 46%c; February, 46%c a; May, 45%c a. Oars—December, 50½c; January, \$1c b; February, \$1%c b; May, 35½c b. TOLEDO — Wheat — December, \$1.03; May, \$1.06% b.

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New York !	2,867	142,010	2.2	171,74	
Chicago	21,097	264,948	6,798	289,01	
Kansas City	3,000	148,000	10,000	44,50	
Detroit	13,855	4,952	21,577	26,68	
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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York, December 18.—Wheat—Receipts, 28.600 bu; Sales, 420,000 bu; auvanced 18. 114c, declined %65c, now steady, quiet; No. 2 red—December, 51.05; 291.05%; January, 51.06; 291.056; February, 51.06; 291.056; January, 51.06; 291.06; Selection, 51.05; 291.058; January, 51.06; 291.058; May, 51.118.06; 1218. Corn—Receipts, 12.00 bu; sales, 12.00; new mixed Western, 376.60; old do, 46% 6478c; dull. Outs—Receipts, 137.000 bu; sales, 5,000 bu; cull and steady; State, 294.640c; Western, 276.60c. Rec quiet; plate, 39.506; c. extra mess, 37.5068. Fork slow, casy; mess, 514.50615. Lard unsettled and dul; steam rendered, 5.25c. Butter steady, quiet; Western dairy, 14625c; do creamery, 19631c; Eiglan, 34625c. Chesse—Strong, quiet; Western, 196114c, 5ugar quiet; powdered, 75c.; granulated, 74.675c; do creamery, 19631c; Eiglan, 34625c. Chesse—Rio dull and fair, 17c; options unsettled, generally unchanged, quiet. Spirits turpentine quiet, at 48c. Egra—Western, 236232; Change this morning when opened 17, 10 s. m.—On Change this morning when opened 146.15c higher than at the close on Saturday. The initial quotation on May was 31.114, with 51.11b bid about the same time. Thereafter it was ateady for a time within a range 51.116.1114 and now stands at 31.12, the for May. Pork opened 567%c lashed, when the for May. Pork opened 567%c lashed, the wave steady and unchanged at 29% 65c for January and 67%c igner, over 18c; January and 76%c for May. Pork opened 567%c lashed; for May. Quata were steady and unchanged at 29% 65c for January and 76 for May.

11. a. m.—May wheat is now 51.11; December, 51.05c, Short ribs were unchanged at 5.00c for January and 76 for May.

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December, \$1.05; January, \$1.08h; May, \$1.11h. Corn-No. 2 cash, 35th; December, 35th; January, 35thc. Oats-No. 2, 25c; No. 2 white, 30c. Receipts-Wheat, 15,500 bu; corn. 5,000 bu; cast, 5,400 bu.

TOLEDO, O. December 17.—Wheat quiet, steady; cash, \$1.05c; May, \$1.08h. Corn steady; cash, 25c; May, 50c bid. Cloverseed firm; cash December, \$3.10; May, 37thc. Oats dull; cash, 27c; May, 50c bid. Cloverseed firm; cash December, \$3.10; February, 35,17h, March, \$5.25 bid.

BUFFALO, N. Y., December 17.—Wheat—Old Mo. Isrd in fair demand, \$1.45; new No. I hard, \$1.55; No. 1 Northern, \$1.27; winter wheat, \$1.04; A. O. 1 Ped, \$1.00 Corn-No. 2, none offered. Receipts—Corn, 147,000 bu.

MILWIKEE, Wis., December 17.—Wheat steady; cash, 97th; January, 26c; May, \$1.04a. Corn dull; No. 3, 31c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 254c. Rye firm; No. 1, 524c. Barley easy; No. 2, 56c.

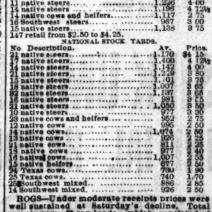
PITTSBURG, Pa., December 17.—Petroleum is fairly active. Prices opened at 91%c, ad-vanced to 92%c, then broke to 92%c, and at noon 91%c was bid.

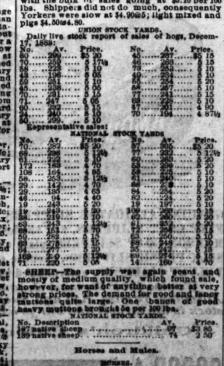
CATTLE—There was a moderate inquiry for decent butcher and good corn-fed steers, and the limited supply changed hands at slightly improved figures. Total supply small and the quality not very good, still there were some fat steers shown, which sold promptly. Of course with scant receipts sellers could do a little dictating, which they did. The reader's attention is directed to the list of sales given below. Cow stuff was also a little hatter under the circumstances, but not much. Steekers and feeders dull and unchanged. Good veal calves steady, and the same can be said of milk cows. Choice shippers, \$545.53; good native shippers, \$4.2564.75; fair to medium steers, \$3.256 \$3.75; common steers, \$2.0023; stockers and feeders, \$1.0002.90; corn-fed Texas steers, \$3.5064; grass Texas steers, \$2.29.20; cows and helfers, \$1.506.25; buils, \$1.4062; veal calves, \$1.506.20 per head.

Representative sales; UNION STOCK YARDS.

Daily Report of \$848.56 Calvels, \$1.501. December

Representative sales:
UNION STOCK YARDS.
Pally Report of Sales of Cattle, St. Louis, December 7, 1885;





The Elgin Butter Market.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

ELGIN, Ill., December 17.—The attendance to-day was large, as the annual election was held. The offerings of butter were very large. The bidding was slow with indications that last week's market will be sustained at 33 cents.

Foreign.

Liverpool, December 17.—Wheat cargoes off coast opened firm. Gorn steady. Wheat cargoes off coast opened firm. Gorn steady. Wheat cargoes on passage and for shipment opened firm. Corn slow. In Mark Lane—English and foreign wheat firm; American and Danubian corn steady. English and American flour firm. French country markets steady. Farmers' deliveries of wheat during week, 45,653 grs; average price, 30s 10d. Liverpool spot wheat and corn opened steady.

Liverpool, December 17, 3:30 p. m.—Pork demand fair; futures demand poor; epot steady; do Western, 70s; steady, Land—Spot demand fair; futures demand poor; epot steady, 45s; December, dull, 4ss; January and February, dull, 42s 3d. Wheat—Demand poor; new No. 2 winter, 8s, steady; do spring, 8s, steady, Flour—Demand poor; apot easy, 4s 64d; December, dull, 4s 64d; January, steady, 4s 6d; ebruary, firm, 4s 3d. Receipts wheat past week from Atlantic ports, none; Pacific ports, none; other sources, 71,000 quarters.

### LIVE STOCK.

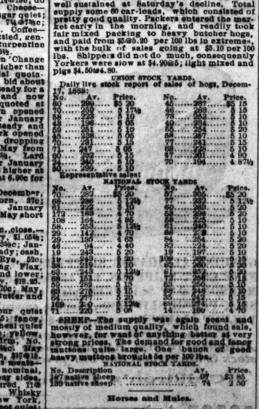
Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. Horse and Mules 

Av. Price 963 \$3 00 868 275 1,487 480 1,296 4-00 1,196 4 124 1,117 2 75 Tub—Choice, 37½c; inferior, 31@35c, Sack, 10 finative steers. 15 native steers. 15 native steers. 147 retail from \$2.50 to \$4.25.

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14 Southwest mixed. 926 250 HOGS-Under moderate receipts prices were well sustained at Saturday's decline. Total supply some 60 car-loads, which consisted of pretty good quality. Packers entered the market early in the morning, and readily took fair mixed packing to heavy butcher hogs, and paid from \$5.60.20 per 100 lbs in extremes, with the bulk of sales going at \$5.10 per 100 lbs. Shippers did not do much, consequently Yorkers were slow at \$4.0005, light mixed and pigs \$4.50064.80.

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The Corkscrews are Young Men's sizes; all the others, sizes 33 to 43.

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D. C. YOUNG ..... Manager.

Live Stock by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, Ill., December 17.—Hogs—Receipts, 19,000; market moderately active, 10c higher light, 4, 56-65, 20; rough packing, 34, 96 65.05; mixed, \$56-52 0; heavy packing and shipping, 35,056-530. Cattle-Receipts, 15,000; market dull, lower; beeves, \$36-5.25; cows, 31, 306-85. Stockers and feeders, \$2,206-3.40. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market steady; natives, 35,006-5.00; Western feeders, \$2,306-3.40. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market steady; natives, 35,006-5.00; Western feeders, \$3,206-5.75; Western cornied, \$46-4.40; lambs, \$46-5.60. BUFFALO, N. Y. December 17.—Cattle—Active and 156-256 higher than last Monday; receipts, 2,600 head through; 2,500 sale; prime steers, \$4,106-5.10; good butchers, \$3,256-3.65; buils steady, expert, \$368-30; stockers and feeders firm, \$2,256-8.10. Sheep and Lamba-Steady; receipts, 1,000 head through; 16,000 head sale; shipping sheep, \$4,256-4.75; Western tambs, \$5,506-9. 275; Canadas, \$4,506-9. Hogs—Active and \$615e lower; receipts, \$,750 head through and \$,750 sale; medium heavy, \$5,106-5.25; Yorkers and pigs, \$5,75.

RANSAS CITY, Mo., December 17.—Cattle—Receipts, \$,685; head; market steady, Hogs—Receipts, \$,685; head; market steady. Hogs—Receipts, \$,685; hea

MURRAY AND MURPHY in "Our Irish Visitors" at Pope's Theater, Friday afternoon, for the benefit of the Post-Disparch Christ-

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.
Fr. SMITH, Ark., December 17.—J. C. Harris and ex-Chief W. D. Bushyhead, Cherokee delegates to Congress, were in this city yes-terday en route to Washington. They go to Washington with instructions to oppose any measure looking to the opening of the Territory or any portion thereof. They represent the Anti-Liberal element of the Cherokee Nation.

New York, December 17.—The case of Edward Meredith, Addie Stanton and Ella Hammond, three of the badgers who attempted to rob Gambler Phil Daly, was before Judge Martin this morning. Counsel for the prisoners moved that the indictment be quashed, on the ground that it was found on illegal evidence. Judge Martin reserved his decision.

OTTAWA, Ontario, December 17.-On Monday last a mail bag containing over \$650 in each and several letters containing money was delivered at the Grand Trunk station here but it disappeared in some mysterious way and that was the last seen of it. The Postcase during the week, but thus far have been unable to obtain the slightest clue as to the whereabouts of the bag.

Collided With a Buggy.

An accident, which fortunately did not prove serious, occurred to-day before Hinde's livery stable at 3146 Easton avenue. A butcher's team, which was running away, collided with a bugay in which slady was driving, over-turning it and slightly injuring her. She was taken home in a cab to her house on Finney avenue. Her name is not known.

MURRAY AND MURPHY in "Our Irish Visi tors' at Pope's Theater, Friday afternoon, for the benefit of the POST-DISPATCH Christmas Tree Fund.

The Bridal Bulletin.

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Recorder up to p. m. to-day:	Control of the State of the Sta
Name.	Residence
Annie Henry	1219 Morgan 1219 Morgan
Michael J. Mahoney	2715 Papin
Sarah A. Harris	
Chas. DeRene	1027 Clark
Adolph Larmie     Felicity Payers	
Alice L. Lauve	
E. Pater Shassers	
Caroline S. Hohmann	
Lawrence Sydney Elizabeth R. Cullen	Philadelphia,
Harry Gearhart.	
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PURE 18KT. GOLD WEDDING RINGS.

Josephine, dangles, 2246 Warren street. Ozcar, son of Joha and Emilie Himmler, December 11, 2603 South Broadway, Maggie, daughter of Edward and Lizzie Heil, De-cember 14; 1421 Bistravenue. MURRAY AND MURRAY in "Our Irish Visi-tors" at Pope's Theater, Friday afternoon, for the benefit of the Post-Disparch Christ-mas Tree Fund.

The following burial certificates were issued by the Health Department up to 3 p. m. to-day;
Eugene Kavanaugh, 3 years, 2908 Adam street;
scarlet fover.
Richard Paine, 53 years, City Hospital; consumption.

Alexander West, 16 years, City Hospital; cellitutis of leg
Carolina Ruga, 36 years, 24 North Tenth street; paralysis. John Graham, 2 months, 1236 North Touth street tia.amia. George Griggs, 57 fears, 3324 Wisconsin avenue; apoplexy. Louis Frey, 1 month, 2306 South Twalth strest; nso Albred, 29 years, Mississippi River; L. O. Brown, 6 days, 1402 North Nineteenth street; terotis.

Wargaret 61bb, 78 years, 2410 South Third street; senile debility.
Joseph Burns, 1 month, 1280 North Tenth street; gaatre enterotis.
Francis Byrne, 8 years, 3965 Evans avenue; con-Mary Moore, 36 years, 728 South Sixth street; tum 37. Francis Taylor, 1224 South Sixteenth street; sentle debility. Beatris Brown, 21 days, 3532 Bernard street; ma-Helen Hild, 23 years, 1313 Monros street; con-

First hand-painted and ambroidered searts, 50c. Fine gold-headed elik umbrellas, 31-65 up. Grons, 706 to 715 Franklin avenue.

The following transfers were put on record up to p. m. so-day:

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Gamo, Ill., December W.—Arrived: U. P.
Schenck, New Orleans, Sa. m.; Guiding Stay,
Cincinnati, U. a. m.; DeScoto, Memphis, 11 a.
m. Departed: Schenck, Cincinnati, 6 a.m.;
DeScoto, Olincinati, 11 a. m. River face;
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LOUISVILLE, Ky., December 17.—River
rising: 5 feet on the fails; 7 feet 5 inches in
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feet 6-10ths; failing. Light rain.

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arm matters skillfully treated and medi-turnished. Dr. Dinsbeer, Mi Pine st. DR. WHITTIER, 6178t. Charles, cares disease findiscretion, indulgences. Call or write.

A STRANGE DISEASE.

Zook of the Amist Colony Unab

aph to the POST-DISPATOR. New Castles, Pa., December 17.—Solomon Zook, an aged member of the Amish Colony living near New Willington, this county, is notim to a strange disease, similar to the which made wonderful Walker Snyder, as nous. Several years ago Mr. Zook wa token with strange malady and started on stricken with strange malady and started on a long, wearlsome tramp. Every effort was made to restore his running gear to a normal sondition, but to no purpose. From morning sill night the unfortunate man would describe circles around his farm house. When clouds of night clothed the earth in a sember clock, Zook would enter the house, only to waik until exhausted. He would fall into a shair, completely prostrated, only to remain a few short moments, when his walk would be resumed. This continued two or three years, when suddenly he grew better and was finally restored to full health, with no desire for pedestrianizing.

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One day last fall Zook attended a Republican demonstration. Great excitement prevailed, proving too much for Zook, and on his return home he was horrified to find his old enemy once more fastening its clutches upon him. He grew worse until he is unable to get the least bit of rest. At times he falls exhausted in a chair, only to suffer the most excruciating pain. The moment he stops in his weary tramp his legs are drawn out of all natural shape, and as soon as he regains sufficient strength the poor man is up and walking. At times he loses all control of his limbs and they carry him against a wall or partition in the house. In such cases he is unable to reverse his position. His legs keep up the resular stepping movement and not until a member of his family comes to his rescue is Zook able to get out of his painful position.

A FINE SUIT FOR YOUR BOY, For holiday wear should be made to order at

> MILLS & AVERILL. Broadway and Pine.

ICKASAW NATION PREEDMEN. ht of Suffrage to be Conferred Upon

ROCK, Ark., December 17.-The kasaw Legislature, which is expected to in special session shortly and con-election of William Guy as Governor, will probably enact some kind of legislation fixing the status of the negroes in the Chiek-seaw Nation. The Chickssaws, one of the five civilized tribes, have denied the rights five civilized tribes, have denied the rights of citizenship to freedmen living in their country. Recently the question has been raised whether under the constitution of the United States the negroes could be deprived of rights guaranteed by that instrument, and there is a probability of a bill being passed by the Legislature conferring suffrage upon shom. Many Chickasaws favor colonizing the negroes in Oklahoma, and paying them for their property and other rights acquired as adopted citizens of the Chickasaws Ration. The negroes outnumber the Chickasaws and the latter fear that giving them the right to vote will be attended with dangerous consequences.

y Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SPRINGTIED, Mo., December 17.—The Delly leveld, the only morning Associated Press aper in this city, established ten years ago, as been absorbed by its younger rival, the pringfield Republican. The Republican was larted a year ago as a campaign sheet, at has met with such success that has secured unlimited backing, ongressman Wm. H. Wade is at the head of senterprise and will be president of the ew company. C. S. Tomlinson, formerly immercial editor of the Kansas City Tieses, lil be managing editor. Among other new graph of the results of the Goldenson, independent in politics, with Tobe itchell, late railroad editor of the Goldenson, as managing editor.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF REVENUE, NORTH WING COURT HOURE, December 15, 1888.

—Notice is hereby given that on January 1, 1889, all special tax bills for the sprinkling season of 1888 remaining in this office unpaid, will be turned over to City Counseior Leveret Bell for enforcement by suits in the Circuit Court. In the meantime payment of the same can be made at this office without interest, penalties and costs.

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THE CHICAGO SYNDICATE'S AGENT EX-

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the progress and advancement in street rail-roads here, lends great interest to the enterprise.

Three million six hundred thousand dollars

was the figure furnished the Post-Disparch by Mr. Julius S. Waish as representing the purchasing price. This morning it was learned that while this is very close to the sum actually required to close the deal, yet it represents only what will be paid Mr. Waish and his immediate associates for their stock, or in other words, for the stock that these gentle men can control. Mr. Nat Frank, the attorney for the Chicago syndicate, stated to a Post-DISPATCH reporter that mindful of the in-terests of all parties who may hold stock in greater or lesser amounts in any of the four roads sold, Mr. Waish had been careful to stipulate in his original option, on the basis of, which the sale was made, that

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EXTORTIONATE FREIGHT BATES.

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Twenty-four Suits Against the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad by Attorney-General Baker, in the name of the State of low. The charge is extortionase treight rates, and the allegation asks \$5,000 damage on each of the twenty-four suits, amounting in the aggegate to 5125,-too, and cites instances where it is awared the roads has charge's so much per 160 pounds on certain articles named, while the legal rate was only a certain specified amount. Soilts of a similar character are to be commenced with whom they do business.

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"Who are interested with Holmes and Hutchinston?"
"As far as I can learn that is something which is known only to Messrs. Holmes and Hutchinson and the parties themselves—no, I will not say even that much; because I don't know—I haven't the faintest suspicion that there is anybody clase in the deal with them. Their names are the only enes which appear as principals, and I don't think even Mr. Walsh knows of any other person or persons in it, if there are any others."
"Will the Cass Avenue Line be cabled?"
"That is not known at present. Nothing is known on that peint further than the fact that the purchasers
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This is a general statement, and there is nothing knewn about how they will be improved."

"These the reports about connecting the Cass Avenue with the Citizens', cabling the Cass Avenue and putting electric motors on the Union Line are all speculation?"

"Just so—all speculation so far I know. The authoritive statement was made that the roads were bought as an investment and that they would be improved and operated on a profitable basis; but the detailed plans of these improvements have not been given out.

At 10 o'clock this morning Meesrs.

Frank, Hamilton and Walsh took a carriage at Mr. Frank's office and visited the offices and stables of the Citizens', Northern Central, Cass Avenue and Union lines. They made a therough examination of the books and accounts of the different roads and took a careful inventory of the rolling stock and other properties on hand.

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With regard to the final transfer of the property, the mode of procedure is very simple. As rapidly as the stock is turned in at the bank is is paid for and indered to the purchaser, and when an amount has been handed in which represents a controling inserest the syndicate practically owns the properties and can do as they please with

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Tailored Suits, worth \$30, go for ..... \$19.65 Tailored Suits, worth \$22.50, go for....... 15.00 All-Wool Suits, worth \$15, go for ..... 8.65 Cheviot Suits, worth \$7.50, go for ..... 3.45

Boys' Long-Pant Suits.

Tailored Suits, worth \$25, go for ..... \$18.50 Tailored Suits, worth \$16.50, go for...... 10.00 Cassimere Suits, worth \$12.50, go for..... 7.50 Cheviot Suits, worth \$6.50, go for ..... 3.95

Boys' Knee-Pant Suits. Tailored Suits, worth \$10, go for ..... \$6.00 Tailored Suits, worth \$8.50, go for ..... 5.00 21 Styles All-Wool Suits, were \$6, go for .... 3.49 Cheviot Suits, worth \$3.50, go for ..... 2.19 Cheviot Suits, worth \$2, go for..... .74

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Overcoats, worth \$2, go for ...... \$1.19 Overcoats, worth \$3, go for..... 2.00 Overcoats, worth \$5, go for..... 3.50 Overcoats, worth \$7.50, go for..... 5.00 Overcoats, worth \$12.50, go for..... 8.50

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Capt. Wm. M. Connor of New York spent Thursday in the city visiting his sisters at No. 3904 Chestnut street.

Mrs. Leslie Marmaduke, who has been the guest of Mrs. John J. Daly, has returned to her home at Jefferson City.

Mrs. Judge Van Cleve has returned to her home at Paterson, N. J., after a visit to her sister, Mrs. H. G. Freeland.

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Miss Mabel Webster left last week for her home in Michigan after a visit of several weeks to relatives in South St. Louis.

Mrs. Walter Tiflany is here from Minneapolis to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Robinson.

Miss Josephine Edwards of Kirkwood has been spending the past few days with her triend, Miss Fiorence Withington.

Lieut. and Mrs. Erwin, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dean, will leave to morrow to return to his post.

"The Holly" will have its semi-annual

Mrs. Hugh Crawford of Vandeventer Pisce has issued cards to a reception which she gives to married ladies next Saturday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock.

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SOCIETY GOSSIP. Mrs. Dr. Mudd will give a soirce dansant in New Year's night. Miss Mary Gorman of Lockport, N. Y., is visiting friends for a few weeks. Mrs. Simeon Ray has issued eards for a re-ception on Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Doan of North St. Louis have gone to Arizona this winter.

Mrs. C. C. Rainwater has with her for the winter her niece, Miss Mande Petris. Miss Clara Mars left this morning to spend the holidays with relatives in Chicago. Miss Louise Whittemore is spending the winter season with friends in New York. Mrs. Charles E. Barney's reception this afternoon is the society event for to-day. Miss Effic Steed will spend the Christma holidays with her cousin, Mrs. R. B. Morris Miss Fannie Carr of Cabanne place will spend the winter with Mrs. Earnest Bell on Bell av

Mrs. B. H. Brunnell of 3000 Chestnut streets entertaining her sister and two children the Franciscon the Franciscon Chestnut Street Streets and Streets Street

from the East.

Miss Mabel Franklin, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Goddard, has returned to her home in Texas.

Mrs. M. B. Sheely of Cabanne avenue, accompanied by Miss Rosa Berger, is visiting friends at Memphis.

Dr. and Mrs. George McCall have returned from their bridal trip, and are located at No. 200 Chestnut street.



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Powell, Mack, Schaefer, Holtman, Waich, Parker, Diensbeer, Lynch, Frichtel and many others. All had a pleasant time.

Miss Brooke Haldeman, a new addition to our list of fine vocalists, has been secured for the Grand Avonue Presbyterian Church for next year. She also had an invitation to join the Pikrim Congregational Church choir, which was a great compliment to so young an artist.

The young ladies of St. Mark's Lutheran Church have their bazar this afternoon and evening at the residence of Mrs. L. L. King. Shift Morgan street. They have a fine array of Christmas presents prepared by their deft ingers, and besides the refreshments which will be served to the ladies in the afternoon, a supper will be served for the gentlemen at night. The Henrietta Euchre Club was entertained by Miss Rena Nelson at her home, on Finney avenue, last Monday evening. The prises were neat and elegant, the first ladies prise being awarded to Miss Vieths and the second to Miss Conrades. Air. Harry Sweeney carried off the first gent's prize and the second was to Mr. Frank Bergs. The next entertainment will take piace at the home of Miss Anna Viethe, on Lindell Boulevard, the young lady members of the olin entertaining the same

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